

A PERSONAL DEBATE AT THE CAPITAL

HOUSE LISTENS TO MUTUAL RECRIMINATIONS.

Congressman Grosvenor of Ohio Attacks Ex-Gov. Altgeld and Mr. De Armond, of Missouri, Ridicules Secretary Morton—The Work of Congress—Washington News.

Washington, Jan. 29.—The house passed the Indian appropriation bill Thursday and entered upon the consideration of the agricultural appropriation bill, but all interest in these two measures was overshadowed by two very remarkable speeches—one made by Mr. Grosvenor (Rep., Ohio), attacking ex-Gov. Altgeld of Illinois, and the other by Mr. De Armond (Dem., Mo.), heaping ridicule on Secretary Morton for the recent issue of a pamphlet entitled "The Farmer's Interest in Finance."

Mr. Grosvenor's observations on the ex-governor of Illinois, were called forth by the latter's speech last week, in which he charged that Mr. Bryan had been defeated by fraud, and based his charge particularly on the enormous increase of the vote in Ohio, where, he alleged, 90,000 votes were illegally cast. Mr. Grosvenor was very personal in his allusions to Mr. Altgeld, laying at his door much grave responsibility for the result of the election. In conclusion, he congratulated the Democratic press of his state on the fact that it had not paid the slightest heed to Altgeld's slanders. Mr. Brownwell (Rep., Ohio) followed in further substantiation of Mr. Grosvenor's statement.

These two speeches drew a brief but somewhat sarcastic response from Mr. De Armond. He paid a high tribute to the men who made up the Chicago convention, who, he said, were actuated by deep conviction. Perhaps in some other arena, he said, Mr. Grosvenor and Mr. Altgeld might be able to decide the worth or worthlessness of their relative statements, but he stated, rather sarcastically, that ex-Gov. Altgeld had always made his charges against others in the open where they could be met. He concluded with a high tribute to Mr. Altgeld's character.

It was Mr. De Armond's subsequent attack on Secretary Morton which created the sensation. With biting sarcasm and rasping irony he scored the secretary of agriculture, taking as his text a recent publication issued by the secretary and sent out over the country under a frank. The pamphlet reviewed the silver agitation to show that poverty and illiteracy characterized the states which had been foremost in the demand for the restoration of silver.

Mr. De Armond asserted that the demand for silver came chiefly from the farmers, whose interests the secretary of agriculture was supposed to look after, and asked contemptuously what excuse there was for issuing to them "this slander, this travesty on facts." He went on to say that there were facts which some men lost sight of that were known to all others, and one of them was that the illiterate colored vote represented McKinley's majority in most of the states which he carried. But, he said, no one took Secretary Morton seriously nowadays. The world was no longer interested in his views on finance.

IN THE SENATE.

Bill for International Monetary Conference Under Discussion.

Washington, Jan. 29.—The open session of the Senate was comparatively brief Thursday, as more than half the day was spent behind closed doors. During the open session the bill for an international monetary conference was debated, Mr. Chandler (Rep., N. H.) speaking in favor of and Mr. Stewart (Nev.) against. Mr. Chandler's speech was in the nature of a statement of the attitude of the Republican side of the chamber on the bill. Mr. Stewart, although criticizing the commission as futile, said he would not oppose the measure. It is expected that a vote will be reached today, although Mr. Pettigrew (S. D.) announced a speech which may lead to further delay. Mr. Chandler appealed to Mr. Cannon to withdraw his amendment, which seeks to have the United States take the initiative and entire execution of the conference. Mr. Chandler appealed also to Mr. Stewart not to precipitate a general free-coinage issue by urging his amendment directing the mints to be opened to free and unlimited coinage within one month after the failure of the conference.

Andrade Confers with Olney.

Washington, Jan. 29. Senor Andrade, the Venezuelan minister, was in conference with Secretary Olney Thursday. It is understood that the treaty between Venezuela and Great Britain is almost completed, and probably will be signed and sent to Venezuela for the action of the Venezuelan Congress on the next mail steamer, which leaves New York in a week's time. While there are small points yet to be arranged, none of them is of importance save that relating to the personnel of the commission. It is understood that the treaty has not yet been signed, and no formal appointment of arbitrators could be made until that act had been performed, but it is said to be practically certain that the chief justice and Mr. Justice Brewer have

been decided upon as members when the document is fully completed.

Against Ticket Scalping.

Washington, Jan. 29.—The senate committee on interstate commerce Thursday heard arguments upon the bill introduced by Senator Culom to amend the interstate commerce act so as to prevent ticket-scalping. George M. McKinzie, representing the ticket brokers, made the opening argument against the measure. He denied that the ticket-brokerage business is founded upon fraud. He claimed that the brokers were necessary to the weaker lines, who could not get any business under traffic agreements. B. D. Caldwell, chairman of the Western Passenger association, denied many of the statements made by Mr. McKinzie.

To End the Boundary Dispute.

Washington, Jan. 29.—One of the greatest obstacles to the ratification by the Senate of the general arbitration treaty has been removed in the arrangement, by negotiation, of a plan for the settlement of the Alaskan boundary question. In the course of a day or two a treaty will be laid before the Senate for its action, which, if ratified, will provide the means for the final settlement of the long-standing boundary question.

DUBOIS IS DEFEATED.

Idaho Chooses a Populist United States Senator.

Boise, Idaho, Jan. 29.—Henry Heitfield, Populist, was on Thursday elected United States senator to succeed Senator Turner of Spokane was Thursday field, 39; DuBois, 30; T. F. Nelson, 1. Fourteen Democrats joined the Populists for Heitfield, and he also received the vote of the single Republican member. Four Democrats went to DuBois. In the campaign the Democrats and Populists entered into a fusion, under which the Populists were to have the congressman and senator. The Democrats refused to endorse any man named by the Populist caucus for senator. Judge W. H. Claggett was overwhelmingly choice of the Populists, but the Democrats would not vote for him in sufficient numbers to elect him. Finally, on Tuesday night, Claggett had his friends nominate Heitfield, who was acceptable to all.

Cold Lead for Two.

Hartford City, Ind., Jan. 29.—Wednesday night Joseph Boxell, a merchant at Dundee, seven miles north of this city, shot Ora Brotherton, daughter of the oldest merchant in the village, in the temple, the bullet passing out at the back of her head. Boxell then shot himself in the head, dying instantly. The two had been lovers, but Miss Brotherton had discarded Boxell by request of her parents.

Turner Named in Washington.

Olympia, Wash., Jan. 29.—George F. Turner of Spokane was Thursday nominated for United States senator in a caucus of Populists and free silver Republicans. He received fifty-four votes. Judge Turner has been a Republican, but in the late election he supported Bryan. He is considered one of the ablest lawyers in the state of Washington. From 1884 to 1888 he was territorial governor.

Thousands of Cattle Perish.

Chamberlain, S. D., Jan. 29.—A. Hickey, a Lyman county ranchman, reports that up to date more than 1,000 head of horses and cattle have perished in that county from the fact that owners trusted too much to the ability of the animals rustling for themselves and neglected to put up hay.

Manufacturers Re-elect Officers.

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 29.—The third and last day's session of the convention of the National Association of Manufacturers was held Thursday. The nominating committee reported in favor of the re-election of the present officers, which was done. Theodore C. Search, Pennsylvania, is president.

Ask Rehearing for Duestrow.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 29.—A motion for a rehearing in the case of Millionaire Arthur Duestrow, convicted of the murder of his wife and child and sentenced to hang, was filed Thursday. Action on the motion will probably not be taken for two weeks.

Russia to Encourage Trade.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 29.—The Russian government is about to establish, for the purpose of encouraging trade, commercial agencies in all of the European capitals, as well as in a number of the largest cities of the United States.

Reception to Mr. Bryan.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 29.—W. J. Bryan was given a public reception in the governor's private room Thursday, and during the two hours 4,000 people filed through and shook hands with him.

Machine Manufacturers Invited.

Washington, Jan. 29.—A second exhibition of machines and machine tools will be held in Munich June 11 to Oct. 10, 1898, to which the manufacturers of all countries are invited. Provisional applications for space will be received at the office of the exhibition, No. 1 1/2 Faerbegraben, Munich, as late as March 1, 1897; final applications must reach the office by Oct. 1, 1897, at the latest.

L. J. GAGE ACCEPTS THE PORTFOLIO

STATE OF ILLINOIS IS HIGHLY HONORED.

President of the First National Bank of Chicago Selected by Mr. McKinley to Control the Finances of the Country—Washington is Not Surprised.

Canton, O., Jan. 29.—Lyman J. Gage, president of the First National Bank of Chicago, has accepted the portfolio of secretary of the treasury under the McKinley administration. He made that announcement Thursday night in the McKinley library. There were gathered about him a number of newspaper correspondents, who had come to learn of the result of the conference with Major McKinley.

"Mr. McKinley offered me the treasury portfolio. I told him I would accept the high honor and fill the position to the best of my ability."

This was the first utterance of the incoming secretary of the treasury on being presented to the party.

Mr. Gage reached Canton about 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon, his train being belated by cold and snow. With him was National Committeeman Cyrus Leland of Kansas.

The McKinley conveyance was in waiting and the visitors hurried over the snow-covered streets to the McKinley home. After dinner had been served, Mr. Gage stepped into the office library and addressed himself as quoted above. Beyond this he had little to say. He declined to discuss any feature of the policy of the incoming administration, or to discuss any matter other than that relating to himself.

He said there was no ground for the publication that he was a gold Democrat during the campaign, and that his only affiliation with the Democratic party was in 1884, when he voted for Cleveland. He also said that he and Major McKinley substantially agree on the tariff question.

WASHINGTON NOT SURPRISED.

Had Been Predicted There that Mr. Gage Would Accept Portfolio.

Washington, Jan. 29.—The announcement that Lyman J. Gage has accepted the secretaryship of the treasury in President-elect McKinley's cabinet did not attract unusual attention in Washington because it had been fully predicted for several days that he would be the next secretary of the treasury, and the statesmen had come to look upon him as a strong probability.

The Illinois members very generally regard the appointment as a good one, as most of them know Mr. Gage as a banker and business man. The extreme East and the extreme West look upon the appointment of Gage as undesirable, the East because he is a Western man and the West because he is a banker. But the members from the great Mississippi valley regard with favor the appointment of a man from the middle West, who has been identified with the great business interests of Chicago.

WEYLER TO BE RECALLED.

He Is to Be Succeeded by Minister of War Azcarra.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 29.—A special cable dispatch from London to the Dispatch says that positive information has been received by government officials that the Cabinet in Madrid has decided to take away from Weyler the position he holds as captain-general of the Spanish army in Cuba. Minister of War Azcarra will be appointed governor-general, and Weyler will be subordinated and given an opportunity to resign if he wishes.

Anti-Cigarette Legislation.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 29.—The senate passed Senator Shively's anti-cigarette bill by a vote of 45 to 1. The bill makes it necessary for every wholesale dealer to secure from the county commissioners a license, for which he shall pay \$50, and for every retail dealer to secure a license from the same source, for which he must pay \$200, and makes it unlawful for any person under 18 years old to have in his possession or to smoke cigarettes. In the house the lobby succeeded in having all the bills killed, and one of its own making, which simply makes it unlawful to sell cigarettes to minors, substituted.

Strike at the Corporations.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 29.—Several bills were introduced Thursday to control corporations. The companies affected are required by the provisions of the bill to pay into the state treasury an annual tax of 3 per cent upon their gross earnings. A fine of not less than \$1,000 nor more than \$5,000 is provided if the auditor shall discover that the officers of any of the companies have made a false return of the business transacted.

Mr. Forman Confirmed.

Washington, Jan. 29.—The Senate Thursday, by a vote of 41 to 15, confirmed the nomination of William S. Forman of Illinois to be commissioner of internal revenue. His enemies held the nomination up in committee for more than a month, hoping to prevent a vote from being taken, but it was finally reported to the Senate over their objections.

FIRE-BUG AT WORK AT SHEBOYGAN

CIGAR BOX FACTORY TOTALLY DESTROYED.

Incendiary Is Blamed as the Department Had Put Out a Small Fire Early in the Evening—Early Morning Fire at Milwaukee—Other State Specials.

Sheboygan, Wis., Jan. 29.—[Special]—The Sheboygan cigar box factory was destroyed by fire at an early hour this morning. The fire is believed to have been of incendiary origin, as the department was there last evening to extinguish an incipient blaze. The loss on the stock is \$1,000 fully insured. The loss on the building is \$1,400 with no insurance. The property was owned by Otto Foerste, Milwaukee, Jan. 29.—[Special]—At 3 o'clock this morning a fire broke out in the dry goods store of W. Rubin & Co., 634 East Water street. The store was filled with smoke when the firemen arrived, and before the blaze could be located, it had burned its way through a partition to the clothing store of J. P. Weber, 632, East Water street.

In a short time both stores were a mass of flames, which spread eastward to the alley. In the rear of the stores is the German market, which for a time was threatened. The total loss will be about \$5,000; covered by insurance.

Oshkosh, Wis., Jan. 29.—The drug store and stock of H. Wegner, South Main street, was damaged to the extent of \$5,000 by a fire that broke out at midnight and burned two hours. A large quantity of wall paper was destroyed. There is full insurance.

Oshkosh, Wis., Jan. 29.—The dry kiln of the Buckstaff-Edwards company was wrecked by fire causing a loss of \$5,000. There is full insurance.

MRS. McDUGAL IS SENTENCED

Will Serve Two Years at Waupun—Crime in the State.

Marquette, Wis., Jan. 29.—Mrs. McDougal was yesterday sentenced to two years in the state penitentiary. Mrs. McDougal shot her husband a few months ago, shortly after they had quarrelled, the ball lodging in his forehead and causing almost instant death.

Judge Hastings sentenced nine other prisoners this afternoon who were convicted at this term of court. Patrick McCann, manslaughter, got four years; Charles Washer, forgery, one year and a half; James Strope, burglary, one year; Edward Pludge, burglary, one year, and Charles Lacourt, burglary, one year and a half.

Barron, Wis., Jan. 29.—Sheriff Deltz arrived today from Arkansas with E. C. Allen, who is charged with inciting the murder of George Bromley, which was committed near here Nov. 2 last. The preliminary examination has been set for Feb. 18.

Thorp, Wis., Jan. 29.—John Newhouse, William Dwyer, Walter Johill and Gilbert Marcoe were arrested for spiking logs in the woods belonging to Mye Lusk and Hudson. This crime is looked upon by lumbermen as very serious.

Baraboo, Wis., Jan. 29.—William Dwyer, landlord of the Farmer's Rest hotel at Bear Creek, was fined \$50 and costs for selling liquor without a license.

WISCONSIN PEOPLE WHO DIED

The Death Roll of the Badger State Cities.

Beloit, Jan. 29.—[Special]—Dennis Carey, one of the oldest residents of this city, died at 7 o'clock this morning after a lingering illness, at the age of sixty-nine years. A brother of his is also at the point of death.

Neenah, Wis., Jan. 29.—O. W. Dotson, a former railway conductor of this city, died at Fresno, Cal.

Stevens Point, Wis., Jan. 29.—Mrs. Matthew Heffron, who lived in Portage county for the last forty years, died at her home in the town of Stockton.

Onitona, Wis., Jan. 29.—Ex-Assemblyman J. W. Parkinson died at his home in the town of Brotherton, Calumet county.

Steamship Civic Overdue.

New York, Jan. 29.—Fears for the safety of the White Star freight steamship Civic are entertained by shipping men. She is now four days overdue, and nothing has been heard of her since she sailed from Liverpool on Jan. 15. The Civic is not the only vessel overdue. The steamship Fort William, which sailed from Shields on Dec. 16, 1896, is still unaccounted for.

International Fight a Draw.

Birmingham, Jan. 29.—The fight between "Dick" Burge and "Eddie" Connolly of Boston, Mass., for \$5,000, which took place at the Olympic club here Thursday night, was declared a draw, and caused unusual excitement, crowds flocking to the doors of the club house and requiring extra police to preserve order.

Czar's Trip Is Abandoned.

Berlin, Jan. 29.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg says that the proposed visit of the czar and zarina to Rome and London at the end of April has been abandoned.

S. L. CATON SHOOT'S HIS WIFE

Well Known Horse-man Had a Lively Time at Lansing, Mich.

Samuel L. Caton, the well known horseman who has frequently raced his flyers in Janesville, and who has for the past few years been handling race horses in Russia, was involved in a shooting affray at Lansing, Michigan last night who has a suit for a divorce pending. He returned from Russia a short time ago, and has purchased several speedy animals for shipment to Russia, making his home at the Hotel Downey. Last night Caton visited his former home and encountered a man named Scott, a questionable associate of his wife, and the two exchanged shots without apparent effect, although Caton claims to have received a wound in his forehead. He then kicked in the door to the house, but was met by his wife who knocked him down with a club. Caton retaliated by shooting her through the cheek, inflicting a flesh wound.

ACCIDENT AT THE FOSTER MINE

Wife of the Owner Is Now Visiting in This City.

Mrs. E. I. Foster, who is now the guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. W. St. John, received word this morning of an explosion in the Foster coal mine, owned and operated by her husband, at Foster, Iowa. Eleven miners were burned, and one of them will die. Mrs. Foster said this noon that she did not believe her husband was injured, for he was only in the habit of paying the mine a visit twice a week. Mr. and Mrs. Foster reside at Cedar Rapids, Iowa. The cause of the explosion is a mystery, but the mine authorities claim it was the result of a natural phenomenon; that air of extreme low temperature met the warm gaseous air of the mine when the shaft was suddenly opened, and formed a gas which was ignited from the lamps of the miners, who were just leaving work for the noon hour.

HE SLAYS HIS WHOLE FAMILY

Nebraska Farmer Kills His Wife and Three Children.

Wayne, Neb., Jan. 29.—C. K. Rash, a farmer living ten miles southwest of this city, murdered his wife and three children Thursday morning, mutilating the bodies in a most horrible manner.

When Rash did not come to work in the morning a young man was detailed to learn the cause. As the lad approached the farm house he heard cries of some one within, which he described later as the ravings of a madman. No answer was given to his repeated knocking. Finally he tried the door, and finding it unlocked, walked in. A chamber of horrors presented itself. The furniture was overturned and the walls of the bedroom splattered with blood. On the bed lay the body of Mrs. Rash, stripped of clothing and fairly cut to pieces. In an adjoining room were discovered the bodies of three children, cold in death and showing signs of having been mutilated with some sharp instrument, probably an ax. Upstairs in the loft lay Mr. Rash, who plainly showed by his actions that reason had left him. Word was immediately sent to the sheriff and coroner, who took charge of the bodies and placed the demented man in jail. The family was in fair circumstances and highly respected.

CABINET NEARLY COMPLETE.

Heads of Legal and Postal Departments Alone Have to Be Chosen.

Washington, Jan. 29.—With the acceptance of the treasury portfolio by Mr. Gage, Mr. McKinley can almost say that his Cabinet is complete. There is direct information from Canton to the effect that six men are now virtually fixed in the McKinley ministry. Formal tenders have been made to only two—Senator Sherman and Lyman J. Gage—but Major McKinley has decided upon four others. The progress so far made in the construction of the Cabinet is as follows: Secretary of state, John Sherman of Ohio; secretary of the treasury, Lyman J. Gage of Illinois; secretary of the navy, John D. Long of Massachusetts; secretary of war, Russell A. Alger of Michigan; secretary of the interior, Joseph McKenna of California; secretary of agriculture, James A. Wilson of Iowa.

Senate Urged to Act Promptly.

Washington, Jan. 29.—In the senate Thursday a number of petitions urging the speedy ratification of the Anglo-American peace treaty were received. Mr. Peffer (Pop., Kas.) stated in this connection that he was receiving a great number of letters as to the treaty and that the sentiment of Kansas appeared to be strongly favorable to early ratification.

Arbitration Resolution Referred.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 29.—The resolution of Representative R. C. Busse protesting against the arbitration treaty with England now being discussed in congress, came up as a special order in the house Thursday. It was voted to refer the resolution to the committee on federal relations. The house adjourned until 10 a. m. to-day.

Another Santa Fe Muddle.

Leavenworth, Kan., Jan. 29.—By a decision of Judge Myers of the State District court, vacating the right of way of a short branch of the Santa Fe, on the grounds of its abandonment through a temporary suspension of traffic, the state and federal courts apparently are again in direct conflict.

STOP POOL SELLING IN BADGER STATE

SUCH A BILL INTRODUCED AT MADISON.

The Telegraphing of Bets is Also Prohibited—Christian Favorites Want Cigarette Bill Passed—Old Fight to Stop Liquor Selling Near the Soldier's Home Renewed.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 29.—[Special]—The first gun of the crusade against race track gambling was fired this morning in the assembly, when Assemblyman Withers introduced a bill to prohibit all pool selling. The telegraphing of bets is also prohibited by the bill.

The joint resolution of Senator Withers calling for a statement from the University regents as to the number of professors, and of students to each professor, and the salaries paid the faculty, was adopted in both houses.

Petitions one hundred and fifty yards long, from the State Christian Endeavor societies, were presented, written on white cambric, and asking for the passage of the bill prohibiting the sale of cigarettes to minors.

In the senate the president pro tem occupied the chair. The old struggle to prohibit the sale of liquor within a mile of the National Soldier's Home was commenced again, by the introduction of a bill to that effect.

Both houses adjourned to Monday evening.

TARIFF REFORM ONLY.

No Other Legislation to Be Considered at Extra Session.

Chicago, Jan. 29.—A special dispatch from Washington to the Evening Post says:

"Chairman Dingley of the ways and means committee has outlined the program of the administration at the extra session of congress. Said he: 'There will be no general legislation during the extra session. President McKinley will call congress in extraordinary session for the specific purpose of passing a revenue bill. When we meet in March the bill will be ready to present to the house, and it will be passed within thirty days and sent to the senate. Nothing else will be done by the house. We will adjourn from day to day, or take three days' adjournments, according to the provision of the constitution. The eyes of the country will be on the senate alone. The house will not consider pension bills nor enter into any general legislation. We will simply remain nominally in session until the senate reaches a conclusion on the revenue bill, and then the measure will go into a conference, where it will be perfected in a manner to suit both houses of congress. I do not believe that the senate will force a long session when nothing is under consideration except the tariff bill.'"

FATAL FIRE AT BAY CITY.

Two Men Perish and Other Persons Suffer from Exposure.

Bay City, Mich., Jan. 29.—Two men are dead, three women and four children are suffering from exposure, and the Van Emster block on Columbus avenue in this city is in ashes as a result of a fire at 4 o'clock Thursday morning. The dead are:

MR. VAN EMSTER, aged 56.

THEODORE DURING, aged 68.

The other victims are Mrs. Van Emster, her mother, her sister, and her four children. Van Emster and During were both overcome by the smoke. The women and children were rescued in their night clothes from the burning building only to suffer in the arctic temperature outside.

FAVORS THE PLAN.

House Committee Adopts Gear Pacific Railroad Debt Bill.

Washington, Jan. 29.—The subcommittee of the house committee on Pacific railroads decided to recommend Senator Gear's bill for a commission to settle the indebtedness to the government of the Pacific railroads. The bill is substantially the one proposed by Representative Harrison of Alabama, and makes the secretaries of the treasury and interior and the attorney-general the commission. The subcommittee added an amendment to have the commission report to congress within one year after the passage of the act.

Date of Big Fight Set.

Chicago, Jan. 29.—A private dispatch received from Dan Stuart says that he will at once notify the principals in the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight to be prepared to fight in the state of Nevada on the 17th of March. Stuart says that he is not disposed at the present time to name the exact location of the fight, but in the course of the next ten or fifteen days he will announce the town where the event is to take place.

Seceding Lodge Is Upheld.

Indianapolis, Jan. 29.—The Supreme court Thursday reversed the judgment obtained by the grand lodge of the Knights of Pythias against Koerner lodge No. 6 of this city, depriving it of its property because it had adopted a resolution to secede from the Knights of Pythias and form a lodge of the Indiana Zeitung Bund.



## ORFORDVILLE FOLK WERE SURPRISED

REV. H. C. SEIDEL DECIDES TO GET MARRIED.

Farmers Institute Was a Successful One—Former County Pioneer Is Dead—Temperance Meetings to Be Held at Milton—To Build a Creamery—Other County News.

Orfordville, Jan. 29.—Rev. H. C. Seidel is enjoying a week's vacation at his old home in Milwaukee. Many of his parishioners were surprised on Friday evening by the receipt of the announcement that the popular pastor had on Wednesday evening been united in marriage to Miss Ida May Cole, of the Cream City, and that they would be at home at Orfordville after February 2. Evidently the reverend gentleman has demonstrated to his satisfaction that "it is not good for man to live alone." The people of Orfordville will extend to Mr. and Mrs. Seidel a hearty welcome.

**Fred Gavey Is Dead.**  
Fred Gavey, a former resident and pioneer of the town of Spring Valley, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Albert Hungerford of Chester, Minn., on Jan. 27. Mr. Gavey has made his home in the west with his two daughters, for several years. The remains were brought to this place for interment, and the funeral held from the M. E. church on Friday, Jan. 29, at 10 o'clock. Services conducted by Rev. John Lugg of Footville, by reason of the absence of Rev. H. C. Seidel.

**Mr. Gulack Is Ill.**  
Hillock Olson paid a visit to his uncle, Ole Gulack, at Primrose last week. Mr. Gulack was one of the early settlers in Orfordville, and his many friends will be pained to learn that he is almost helpless from paralysis, and requires the constant attention of an attendant. His mind, however, is clear and he takes great interest in the affairs of his friends at his old home.

**Institute Successful.**  
Owing to the weather, the farmers' institute was not so largely attended as last year. On Tuesday evening, however, the opera house was well filled and an excellent program rendered. At the close of the institute resolutions were unanimously adopted, endorsing ex-Gov. Hoard for secretary of agriculture, and petitioning President-elect McKinley to call him to that position.

**Thursday Morning Session, at 10 O'clock.**  
Manur s..... L. E. Scott  
Crop Rotation..... H. C. Taylor  
Feeding for Market..... W. W. Gillies  
**Afternoon Session, 1:30 O'clock.**  
Some Facts Relating to Sugar Beets..... H. Austin  
Fruits..... Prof. F. W. Taylor, of Nebraska  
What Dirt Does for Dairy Products..... Prof. H. L. Russell  
Evolution in Butter Making..... Leo Campbell  
**Evening Session, 7:30 O'clock.**  
Clifford's Orchestra.....  
Song..... Male Quartette  
The Farmer and the Teacher..... Prof. B. F. Kling  
Child Life on the Farm..... Mrs. J. S. Coe  
Eating.....  
Agricultural Education..... Quartette  
Recitation..... Miss Vera Philier  
Industrial Life in India..... Rev. M. C. Miner  
The House That Jack Built..... Mrs. V. E. Campbell  
**Friday Morning Session, 9:30 O'clock.**  
Reclaiming Waste Lands..... G. W. Marks  
Wisconsin as an Apple Growing State..... B. Hoxie  
Economic Feeding..... H. C. Taylor  
Potatoes..... L. E. Scott  
**Afternoon Session 1:30 O'clock.**  
Milk Test..... H. C. Taylor  
Most Profitable..... J. E. Coleman  
The Cow for Profit..... H. C. Taylor  
Roads..... L. E. Scott  
The Woman's Auxiliary will be held each afternoon at the city hall.

**Thursday Afternoon Session**  
Mothers and Their Relation to Common Schools..... Mrs. Rissa Tullar  
Physical Culture..... Mrs. Kemp, of Madison  
Music.....  
Children's Food..... Mrs. W. H. Doolittle  
Beds and Bedding..... J. H. Mills  
**Friday Afternoon Session**  
My Experience in Poultry Raising..... Mrs. Mary Brigham  
House Sanitation..... Dr. M. L. Ewing  
Music.....  
Our Mission..... Mrs. Hattie Boyd  
Reading for Boys and Girls.....  
Miss Charlotte Richmond, of Madison

**Other News Notes.**  
H. N. Hisgard had a "stone bee" on Thursday, and succeeded in getting a goodly amount of the necessary material upon the ground for the basement that he intends putting under his tobacco warehouse.

The social given by the young people of the Lutheran church last Saturday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sater, was not largely attended, owing to the severe storm.

On account of the extreme cold weather, the lecture by Rev. W. D. Cole of Milwaukee, which was to have been given at the M. E. church last Monday evening, was again postponed.

On Monday morning thermometers ranged from 27 to 32 degrees below zero in the village. Such temperature is apt to make the citizens think of winter.

Joseph Garbutt and wife enjoyed a visit the latter part of last week from Mrs. Garbutt's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Clomons, of Minneapolis.

The festival at the hall last Friday evening was well attended considering the weather. The proceeds were about \$50.

Mr. Ben Gavey, of Milwaukee, was in the village being called here to attend the funeral of his father, Fred Gavey.

B. M. Johnson went to South Wayne Thursday, to receive tobacco for N. L. Carle, for whom he is purchasing.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Risum, on Tuesday the 26th, a son. All going well.

**THE FAST WEEK UP AT MILTON**  
The Gazette Correspondent Tells of Events Past and Coming

(THE GAZETTE AGENCY)  
W. W. CLARKE, Manager,  
Milton, Wis., Jan. 29, 1896.

Hold a Temperance Meeting.

This (Saturday) evening at the S. D. B. church, Milton Junction, Rev.

erends O. E. Carpenter and G. H. Chambers of this place and A. W. Stephens, of the Junction, will address a temperance meeting. Prof. J. F. Healy and Miss Mary A. Humphrey, of the High School also give readings.

**W. K. Davis Accepts.**  
W. K. Davis of the Journal, has accepted the position of managing editor on the Associated Merchants' Journal of Chicago, a publication devoted to the interests of retail merchants. He retains his interest in the Milton Journal.

**E. Brotherton is Fined.**  
Eugene Brotherton was arrested Wednesday on complaint of the Board of Supervisors for allowing minors to play pool and billiards in his establishment. He pleaded guilty and was fined \$10 add costs which he promptly paid.

**Bank Business Good.**  
Despite the cry of "hard times" the bank of Milton reports a large increase in its line of deposits, an indication that Milton farmers are not in as serious condition financially as many had supposed.

**Will Make Butter**  
G. C. Austin, two miles south of this village on Janesville avenue, has put in a separator, churn and other modern accessories for the manufacture of choice butter and will cater to the best trade.

**Other News Notes**  
The Kings' Daughters will hold a five cent social, the last of the series, next Tuesday evening, Feb. 2, at the home of M. and Mrs. Clem W. Crumb. A short program will be followed by games.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Goodrich gave them a surprise party Thursday evening. The event was in honor of Mrs. Goodrich's birthday and was an enjoyable affair.

Town Treasurer Tracy attended to business in Whitewater Tuesday, and reports the "bad man" of that burgh on a rampage that day.

Officer Anderson took a pair of "Wandering Willies" to the county bastille Tuesday night, being sent there by Justice Stillman.

E. B. Saunders, the "Banker Evangelist," who has been conducting a revival at Farina, Ill., came home Wednesday.

Rev. S. H. Bobcock has gone to Dodge Centre, Minn., where he will engage in revival work.

There is a young man in this village whose legs might be called "crescent curved continuations."

George Davy is officiating as night operator during the absence of Mr. Spebeck.

L. P. Rood has been in Chicago this week filling up with cycle information.

Carl Davy, the Genesee telegraph operator, has been at home this week.

Mrs. Hall of Lodi, was the guest of Milton friends last week.

H. P. Clarke of Brodhead, transacted business here Thursday.

Miss Nettie Coon has been visiting relatives at Fairfield.

C. E. Bowes of Janesville, was here on business Tuesday.

**SOME SOUTH CLINTON NEWS.**  
"Dorcas Society" Is Organized—Many Crows Are In Evidence.

South Clinton, Jan. 29.—The young ladies of this community met last Thursday and organized what will be known as the "Dorcas society." They will meet every other Thursday and the object of the society will be to render financial aid to the Orphan asylums controlled by the United Lutheran church. Their next meeting will be held at Alfred Lee's on Thursday of next week. The Ladies' Aid society at their last meeting contributed sixty dollars to various charitable institutions.

Henry S. Anderson is home from Minneapolis for a visit with his folks. He is employed as a fireman on the Northern Pacific. When the people of this community thaw out again sufficient for a reconnoiter they will find there has been a terrible drain on their wood piles. K. B. Duxstad, who is a director of the Mandt Manufacturing company of Stoughton, attended the annual meeting of that company, last week. Miss Clara Starbeck of Davis, Ill., a niece of Mrs. N. O. Newhouse of this place, is reported very sick and is not expected to recover. The Misses Storck of Beloit, recently visited at Gander Larson's. A million crows have been making their headquarters this winter in the woods about three miles south of Clinton, and the farmers aound about are wondering what will be the fate of their corn fields next spring. With chinch bugs, crows, the army worm and hog cholera as a practical certainty, we are still glad to think we shall escape free silver.

**The Week as Shopper.**  
Shoppers, Jan. 29.—Will Harris and Miss Atkinson are visiting relatives at Fort Atkinson. The sleighing is very good in this vicinity. Farmers are improving it. Neighbor Phil Golden is very sick with pneumonia. There is a good many acres of corn standing in the shock this winter. The school in the upper room was closed last week on account of the illness of the teacher Miss Blazer. The M. W. A. will give an entertainment and supper in this place on Wednesday evening, Feb. 3. A cordial invitation is extended to all. The admission to entertainment twenty five cents per couple or fifteen cents single, including supper. Miss Jennie Excell is visiting her parents in Chicago. James Haggart and B. H. Sweet took in the Royal Neighbors dance at Janesville last week. The feed mills are getting lots of feed to grind this winter.

**DIAMOND never-slip rubber soles** can be tacked right on your shoes and prevent slipping. Only 35 cents a pair at Richardson's.

**ABOUT GOOD BUTTER.**  
We have made arrangements with a private creamery for butter of a choice variety. The man with whom we are dealing owns his own cows and creamery apparatus, makes the butter himself, and therefore knows it to be of the highest class. Milk drawn to a public creamery is mixed with other milk and cleanliness is not looked after as stringently as should be. This latter is put up in two pound sealed air tight packages and eight pound pails and is very full, a trial package will convince you. C. A. Sanborn & Co.

**SEE Bort, Bailey & Co's. ad. this evening, on night dresses.**

## ODD FELLOWS JOIN IN SOCIAL PARTY

MASQUE BALL WAS MUCH ENJOYED.

Costumes Were Varied and the Attendance Was Quite Large—Some of the Novel Make Ups—Rice's Minstrels Gave a Good Show—Social and Amusement Notes.

The masquerade ball given by the Odd Fellows' Social club at the Armory last night, was a very pleasant affair. Merrill's orchestra of eight pieces, assisted by Prof. G. S. Welch, prompter, late of Slocum's orchestra of Harvard, furnished the music. The grand march occurred at 8 o'clock. A band of Arabs attracted a great deal of attention, and when the order to unmask came the members were found to be Mr. and Mrs. W. Rice, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Holmes, Mrs. C. W. Schwartz and George Butcher. Miss Mabel Plowright and Harry Stanton as the bride and groom, also made a hit. Misses Reine Maine and Dollie Gzell were organ grinders, while George Moore was dressed as the monkey. Other notable costumes were worn by:

Messdames—  
P. P. Williams, Misses  
Adeline Davenport, Beatrice Preller,  
Annie Drafahl, Olive Tr. millie,  
Bertha Weislof, Grace Spicer,  
Louise Van Namee, Grace Miller,  
Leahia Phillips, Mary R. ley,  
Jessie Metcalf, Fannie Clark.

The male maskers whose suits attracted attention were:

Roy Van Namee, Warren Collins,  
C. E. Gosselin, Frank Williams,  
Otto E. Smith, W. H. Lynch,  
Bert Tucker, J. R. Van Namee,  
Ernest Knipp, Frank Gosselin,  
T. H. Bidwell, Millard Ide.

**THEY GAVE AN EXCELLENT SHOW**

Billy Rice's Minstrels Pleased a Janesville Audience Last Night.

Billy Rice's minstrels gave an excellent performance at the Myers' Grand last night, and a large audience enjoyed the fun. The vocalists were all fairly good, although all the others suffered by comparison with J. W. Earley. Mr. Earley sang "Think Once Again" in a charming manner. His voice is full, strong and deep, and of rarely musical quality. Few better soloists have been heard in Janesville. McMahon and King, the "dances team" execute some really wonderful steps, and their work was loudly applauded.

Billy Rice is the same "Billy" of old. Time tells on other people; whitens their hair; and causes them to lose the elasticity of youth, but Billy Rice is no older than when he first made his appearance in Janesville. Father time's machinations fail in his case, and a thousand years hence he will probably be the same as he is now.

**SOME OTHER SOCIAL EVENTS.**

Inning Club's Party Was Much Enjoyed—Married Folks Dance.

Thirty-two couples attended the party last evening, given in Columbia Hall, by the Inning club. Smith's orchestra played.

The Art League met with Mrs. C. A. Sanborn, 162 South Main street, this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Ladies Aid society of Court Street M. E. church, met at the parsonage, 201 South Bluff street, this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Married Folks Dancing club met at Concordia hall last night, and had a jolly good time. The next meeting will be on Monday evening, February 8.

Miss Anna W. Shields entertained a number of friends very pleasantly last evening. The affair being given in honor of Miss O'Brien, of Galeburg, Illinois.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church, will meet with Mrs. Rexford, Court street, this evening. The program: Roll call, Bible texts on giving, offering for contingent fund.

The Hanover cornet band are arranging for a masquerade ball to be given at the new Hanover hall on Friday evening of next week, February 5. J. F. Wisch, of Hanover; Charles Scidmore, of Janesville; Henry Granswalt, of Orfordville, and Bert Silverthorn will have charge of the floor.

**GET LETTERS THEY CANT READ**

Parker Pen Company and Lewis Knitting Company Have Trouble.

Two of Janesville's leading manufacturing firms are now talking strongly of hiring a man who can speak and read all languages. The Lewis Knitting Company are frequently in receipt of letters from all parts of the world written in native language and they have great difficulty in solving them. The Parker Pen company are in the same fix. Manager Parker recently received a letter from Havana, Cuba, written in the Spanish language.

**About Good Butter.**

We have made arrangements with a private creamery for butter of a choice variety. The man with whom we are dealing owns his own cows and creamery apparatus, makes the butter himself, and therefore knows it to be of the highest class. Milk drawn to a public creamery is mixed with other milk and cleanliness is not looked after as stringently as should be. This latter is put up in two pound sealed air tight packages and eight pound pails and is very full, a trial package will convince you. C. A. Sanborn & Co.

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## CITY TALES TOLD IN A LINE

FIREMAN Joseph Murty is worse.

CUTTERS and sleighs. F. A. Taylor.

MICHAEL HAYES is here from Chicago.

MISS MAE STEVENS is home from Chicago.

THE Good Templars will meet tonight.

\$1.50 congress shoes 60 cents at Lowell's.

SMITH's orchestra will play at Edgerton tonight.

\$23 capes and jackets \$6.98 at Bort, Bailey & Co.

S. M. Woy was down from Madison on business.

FIFTY cent baby bonnets, 25 cents at Lowell's.

CHILDREN's tam O'Shanter's 40 cents at Lowell's.

N. H. POTTER of Evansville, was in the city today.

NUMEROUS "bob load" parties were out last evening.

\$20 capes and jackets only \$6.98 at Bort, Bailey & Co.

GEORGE L. TAYLOR of Milwaukee, was in town today.

\$18 winter garments only \$6.98 at Bort, Bailey & Co's.

NINETY-FOUR cent night dresses at Bort, Bailey & Co's.

ORION SUTHERLAND is home from the Chicago cycle show.

CON McDONALD will open his new restaurant tomorrow night.

"BILLY" RICE's minstrels left on the 7 o'clock train for Rockford.

ONE second hand sleigh, nearly new, \$12, worth \$20. F. A. Taylor.

SUMNER WELCH of Delavan, assisted Merrill's orchestra last evening.

PROFESSOR C. C. WILLIAMS of White-water, spent yesterday in town.

THE Richelleu demonstration will be continued all this week at Sanborn's.

A FULL weight loaf of 16 ounces for 3 cents still goes at Hayner & Grubb's.

CHILDREN's outing flannel night dresses 71 cents at Bort, Bailey & Co's.

Mrs. M. J. Conroy and Mrs. Wm. Spicer are visiting Mrs. Frank Taylor at Oakbrook.

JACKETS and capes of cloth still go at \$6.98, high priced ones, too. Bort, Bailey & Co.

YOUR money's worth every time in those \$2.85 dongola or box calf shoes Richardson's.

JOHN CLARK formerly of this city, is now working for the World bicycle works in Chicago.

ASSEMBLYMAN W. G. WHEELER was down from Madison, to attend the Inning club's party.

WILL HARDIN was up from Clinton last evening, to play for the Married Folks Dancing club.

THE name of the "High School Social Club" has been changed to the "Unmarried Folks Dancing Club."

A SPECIAL meeting of Rock River Encampment will be held this evening, for work in the Royal Purple degree.

SPECIAL sale of outing flannel night dresses for men, women and children 94 and 71 cents at Bort, Bailey & Co's.

LEO MAYER of the Bee Hive, bid farewell to his numerous Janesville friends yesterday, and left for Chicago.

F. W. PAYNE was here from Monroe, with costumes for last night's masquerade, but he rented but seven.

INVITATIONS were issued yesterday, by the ladies of the Concordia Society, for their Calico party, to be given February 18.

THE using of Pearl White or Vienna flour once, means a second order. Every sack personally guaranteed. J. M. Shackleton.

OUR \$2.85 box and dongola calf shoes will compare well with any \$3.50 or \$4 shoe in the city. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

THE Evansville Tribune says "The coldest of the season, Sunday and Monday mornings; 30 below Sunday and 32 below Monday."

CLARENCE R. VANBUEKIRK of New York city, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Brand. Mrs. VanBuekirk has been here for some days past.

CHARLES DOW, assistant state treasurer, was down from Madison last evening, and was the guest of Assemblyman and Mrs. W. G. Wheeler.

EDITOR LIBBY, of the Evansville Tribune says "Minutes seem like hours when a life is at stake; then why delay subscribing for this paper longer."

IDEAL runners for buggies, delivery wagons, etc., can be put on the axle in a few moments. Best runner made, and don't cost much. C. H. Belding, rink building.

SAMUEL GOMPERS, president of the American Federation of Labor, will lecture at All Souls church in this city, next Monday evening under the auspices of the Trades Assembly.

A torpid liver means a bad complexion, bad breath, indigestion and frequent headaches. To avoid such complications take DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. C. D. Stevens.

**Biliousness**

Is caused by torpid liver, which prevents digestion and permits food to ferment and putrify in the stomach. They follow dizziness, headache,

**Hood's Pills**

insomnia, nervousness, and, if not relieved, bilious fever or blood poisoning. Hood's Pills stimulate the stomach,

rouse the liver, cure headache, dizziness, constipation, etc. 25 cents. Sold by all druggists. The only Pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

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THE BIG STORE 20, 22, 24, 26 S. MAIN ST. JANESVILLE, WIS.  
CLOTHING, HATS, SHOES, ETC.

**UNDERWEAR**

We have decided to continue selling Winter Underwear at the same REDUCED PRICES made during our recent sale, for the balance of the winter. As each day means a lessening of stock it is for your interest not to delay coming too long if interested.

**Dr. Denton's Sleeping Garments.**

We have a few left for women and offer them at \$1.20, reduced from \$1.50.

We have a few left for men and offer them at \$1.20 reduced from \$1.50. There is much comfort in them.

The printed INDIA SILKS that we offer at 65c are the kind that make a serviceable dress; beautiful patterns

The interest in Cloak buying keeps up remarkably well. CHILDREN'S CLOAKS do not change as much, and think of the saving by buying now. We show such late styles, such fetching creations; excellent garments can be bought at \$2.00, \$3.00, \$4.00, \$5.00.

**Fashionable Ladies**

**Wear Perfect Fitting and Stylish**

**Royal Worcester Corsets**

**Better Goods for your money**

all the time If you want a 100 piece Dinner Set for from \$5 to \$10, or a Chamber Set for \$1.75 up, or a Lead Glass Lamp Chimney that is worth carrying home, you're invited.

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Have You Tried It?

**QUAKER BREAD**

If not, you should do so at once and join the chorus who sing praises for it. Sweetest, Purest, Best.

**WEST SIDE BAKERY.**  
161 W. Milwaukee St.  
..PAUL GEHRKE, Prop..

**A LETTER.**

**GAINZVUL STEME LONDREE:**

Dere Sur—Yue dun a gud gob on mi kolar last weke an' pleze kum an' git it nex' weke agen, an' du a dumestick finish on it.

**C. UFF.**

P. S.—Hav it dun bi Fry-dee for Eye wont tae kawl on mi gurrel.

It must be thorough or a business training loses the most of its value.

**A smattering of Short-hand and Book-keeping is of no earthly use.**

Practical work can only be done in a school devoted exclusively to business education.

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# THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS.

## EZRA GOODRICH ON WALKS.

Milton Man Talks of Damage Suits and Makes Suggestions.

Milton, Jan. 29.—Editor Gazette.—Janesville has been leading Milton of late in sidewalk suits, and has about a dozen pending now, we understand; but Milton has not been idle in laying the foundation for this kind of philanthropy, and will yet sweep Janesville's prestige into the shade.

Janesville has thrown up the sponge on wooden walks, and uses tar and gravel, which afford no foundation for damage suits, while Milton still goes bravely on building wooden walks, each year more and more, and last year more than ever before. And she builds the same old fruitful kind, with wooden stringers underneath and out of sight, where no man knoweth when they rot.

Milton has paid \$10,000 damages on this same old kind of walks. We notice that Janesville lately had a judgment for the trivial sum of \$2,500 rendered against her in Madison, in favor of a former Milton resident, which is good, as far as it goes; as it gives her a hundred fold more, laid up in store, than she ever had before.

There are some scores of persons still left in Milton, who are working hard to keep body and soul together to whom a tumble on some old wooden sidewalk would be a Godsend.

They would want a board or two loose in the proper place the next morning, and it is well if they wear skirts over their pants to shield the injury from cold winds and still colder vulgar eyes. They want a good reliable doctor who can give expert testimony, and then shut most other testimony out. And then a lawyer who is able to toll when they and the doctor have got the combination right. As to the construction given to the law by our courts it is all right.

EZRA GOODRICH.

P. S. If the ladies who wear shoes with paper soles, still insist on wooden walks; make them of inch boards strung on galvanized wire anchored only at the ends. While pine fencing makes good walks, laid flat on a smooth grade of gravel or coal cinders is preferable to soil. An inch board laid on the ground where it is damp or wet will not rot as quick as a two-inch plank; and if well laid, they will hold up a horse, or a load of wood or coal. We have tested them, and know. Each foot of lumber lays a square foot of walk. They should be cut even and square, and bored through with a machine, and when the grade is made they can be laid cheaply and rapidly.

No nails are used and no nail heads are ever sticking up and they cannot be torn up and loosened, without splitting or breaking the boards.

It is the cheapest, the best and the most lasting wooden walk; but we don't believe in wooden walks. E. G.

Soothing for burns, scalds, chapped hands and lips. Healing for cuts and sores. Instant relief for piles, stops pain at once. These are the virtues of Witch Hazel Salve. C. D. Stevens.

Personally Conducted Tour Through Mexico.

The Northwestern line has arranged for a personally conducted tour through Mexico, under the auspices of Mr. J. J. Grafton, the well known excursion manager. The party will unite at Chicago and leave there Tuesday morning February 2, 1897, in a special vestibuled train of palace sleeping cars, observation cars and dining cars, which will be their home for the entire trip. During the tour, which will consume thirty days, all of the cities and almost every place of interest in this wonderful country will be visited. To accommodate those who desire to remain longer than thirty days, arrangements will be made for the extension of the time limit of tickets. Illustrated pamphlets and full information as to rates, etc., will be furnished on application to agents Chicago and Northwest Ry.

## DANGER IN SODA.

Serious Results Sometimes Follow Its Excessive Use.

Common soda is all right in its place and indispensable in the kitchen and for cooking and washing purposes, but it was never intended for medicine, and people who use it as such will some day regret it.

We refer to the common use of soda to relieve heartburn or sour stomach, a habit which thousands of people practice almost daily, and one which is fraught with danger; moreover the soda only gives temporary relief and in the end the stomach trouble gets worse and worse.

The soda acts as a mechanical irritant to the walls of the stomach and bowels and cases are on record where it accumulated in the intestines, causing death by inflammation or peritonitis.

Dr. Harrison recommends as the safest and surest cure for sour stomach (acid dyspepsia) an excellent preparation sold by druggists under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. These tablets are large 20 grain lozenges, very pleasant to taste and contain the natural acids, pepsines, and digestive elements essential to good digestion, and when taken after meals they digest the food perfectly and promptly before it has time to ferment, sour and poison the blood and nervous system.

Dr. Wuerth states that he invariably uses Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets in all cases of stomach derangements and finds them a certain cure not only for sour stomach, but by promptly digesting the food they create a healthy appetite, increase flesh and strengthen the action of the heart and liver. They are not a cathartic, but intended only for stomach diseases and weakness and will be found reliable in any stomach trouble except cancer of the stomach.

All druggists sell Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets at 50 cents per package. A little book describing all forms of stomach weakness and their cure mailed free by addressing the Stuart Co. of Marshall, Mich.

## PRICES IN JANESVILLE MARKETS. COLD WEATHER STOPPED RIDING

Quotations On Grain and Produce as Reported For the Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market. Flour—Good to best Patent, \$1.10 to \$1.25 per sack. BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—25c per 10 lb. sack. WHEAT—Fair to best quality 65 to 75c. RYE—30 to 35c per 100 lbs. BARLEY—30 to 40c per 100 lbs. CORN—Old, 18 to 20c; new, per 75 lbs. 14 to 15c. OATS—white, 13c to 15c. CLOVER SEED—\$3.00 to \$3.75 per bushel. TIMOTHY SEED—8c to \$1.00 per bushel. HAY—Per ton, \$7.00 to \$7.50. STRAW—\$4.00 to \$5.00 per ton. MEAL—50c per 100 lbs. BOTTLED \$1.00. FEED—40c to 60c per 100 lbs. \$10.00 per ton. BEAN—45c per 100 lbs; \$8.70 per ton. MIDDINGS—50c per 100, \$9.00 per ton. POTATOES—20c to 25c per bushel. BUTTER—16c to 18c. EGGS—17c to 18c per dozen. POULTRY—Turkeys, 9 to 10 chickens, 6 to 7. WOOL—11c to 14c for washed; 8c to 11c for unwashed. HIDES—Green, 5c to 6c; dry, 8c to 9c.3. FELTS—Range at 15c to 45c each.

## Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Jan. 28.—The following table shows the range of quotations on the board of trade today:

ARTICLES.	High.	Low.	Closing.	
			Jan 28	Jan 27
Wheat—Jan.	\$ 74 1/2	\$ 74 1/4	\$ 74 1/2	\$ 74 1/4
May	77 1/2	75 1/4	75 1/2	76 1/2
July	78 1/2	71 1/2	72 1/2	73 1/2
Sept.	72 1/2	70 1/4	70 1/2	71 1/2
Cor'n—Jan.	32 1/2	32 1/4	32 1/2	32 1/4
May	35 1/2	32 1/4	34 1/2	33 1/2
July	35 1/2	32 1/4	35 1/2	35 1/2
Sept.	26 1/4	26 1/4	26 1/2	26 1/2
Oats—Jan.	18 1/2	18 1/4	18 1/2	18 1/4
May	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
July	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Fork—Jan.	7 1/2	7 1/4	7 1/2	7 1/4
May	7 1/2	7 1/4	7 1/2	7 1/4
July	4 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2
Lard—Jan.	3 1/2	3 1/4	3 1/2	3 1/4
May	3 1/2	3 1/4	3 1/2	3 1/4
Sh't'rbs—Jan	4 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2
May	4 1/2	3 1/2	3 1/2	4 1/2



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## THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1688—Emanuel Swedenborg, celebrated Swedish naturalist, mathematician and theosophist, born at Stockholm; died 1772.

1736—Thomas Paine, deist and Revolutionary writer, born in Thetford, England; died 1809.

1756—Henry Lee, soldier, "Light Horse Harry," father of General R. E. Lee, born in Westmoreland county, Va.; died 1818. Colonel Lee's career in the Revolutionary war was marked by numerous daring exploits with his company and legion of light horse men.

1814—John Theophilus Fichte, the philosopher, died.

1822—Adelaide Ristori, actress, born in Friuli, Italy.

1829—Timothy Pickens, statesman, died in Salem, Mass.; born 1749.

1891—William Windom, secretary of the treasury, died in New York city; born 1827.

1896—Jamin Strong, widely known authority on mental diseases, died in Cleveland; born 1825.

1896—Senator Fiorelli, noted Italian archaeologist, died at Rome.



## CONGRESS IS WITH HIM.

Wisconsin is in line with a great majority of the republican states in sending to Washington senators and congressmen who are personal friends of Mr. McKinley and men who worked zealously for his election. This bodes well for the administration. It means that the president will have the kind of support that is indispensable in the enforcement of his policies and the performance of his duties. He will not have any difficulty in securing the co-operation of congress for the accomplishment of the important and beneficial results that are expected by the people. His recommendations will be respectfully received and considered, and there will be no factious opposition to his wishes and purposes. It is fortunate for him, for the republican party and for the country, that such felicitous conditions exist, and that he is sure to have the backing of congress in carrying out the pledges upon which he was elected.

This assured state of harmony between the executive and legislative departments of the government will be a pleasant and profitable change from the spectacle of constant discord and acrimony which has prevailed in that relation for several years past. It is a notorious fact that almost from the beginning of his present administration Cleveland has been at cross purposes with congress. The leaders of his party in that body have openly and persistently antagonized him in all of his undertakings. His requests and suggestions have been treated with indifference, or rejected with scorn and mockery. The mere fact that he has advocated a given thing has been sufficient to array a democratic majority against it in many instances. Thus the public interests have frequently suffered serious detriment, and scenes of reproach to the government have ensued from time to time. The people will be glad to have deliverance from this unfortunate and discreditable condition of things. They are very weary of log-heredness in a respect where harmony is so desirable on every account. The incoming of McKinley will be hailed with special delight, therefore, for the reason that it will put a stop to this unpleasantness, and place the president and congress in hearty accord for the promotion of the country's welfare and prosperity.

## Cleaning Fine Lace.

The difficulty of cleaning fine lace without ruining it is one that appeals to all its possessors. A French method is as follows: The lace is rolled very tightly around a cylindrical glass bottle, and over it is sewed a band of linen, closely drawn and covering it completely. The bottle is then immersed in warm soap-suds, where it is allowed to steep for twenty-four hours. It is then removed and pressed with the hands to take out as much of the soap-suds as possible. Next it is put in fresh soap-suds to soak, and this process is continued until the water squeezed out contains no impurities. It is then allowed to lie for some time in pure water to rinse out the soap, and afterward the rinsing water is pressed out with the hands, when the bottle is dipped in water containing a little gum arabic in solution. Next the bottle is rolled in a clean towel and the moisture again squeezed out with the hands, after which the lace is allowed to dry and is then removed from the glass.

In most cases it is better to send soiled articles of clothing to a regular dry cleaner's establishment, as amateur attempts at removing spots and stains are often disastrous, and the last state of the garment is worse than the first, especially if any sort of liquid cleaner is used by the experimenter.

## REFORMS OFFERED.

Measures for Cuban Home Rule Drafted by Spain.

Havana, Jan. 29.—The following, it is claimed, is an authentic draft of the home rule measure which Spain is about to concede to Cuba:

The act provides a legislative assembly, wholly selective by an enlarged suffrage and composed of a senate and lower house. Besides having the sole power to vote an especial budget of the island this chamber has full power to draw up and control the budget of what may be termed the imperial expenses or expenses of the army and navy of Spain, in so far as they are legitimately to be shared by Cuba. This budget of material expenses will be sent to Madrid for the approval of the cortes.

With the governor-general is vested the power to appoint all officials in the Cuban government with the exception of the directors-general or collectors of the port and secretaries-general of the governor and civil governors of the provinces, who are to be selected by popular vote.

This deputation unica or consejo di administration, as the Cuban assembly will be called, will have full and exclusive power to initiate all money and tariff bills and no bill of this nature can be presented or considered by the Madrid government until it has been approved by the Cuban assembly.

Liberal as these concessions seem, it is said that the Cubans will not accept any agreement to which the United States is not directly or indirectly a party. This guaranty of arrangement is now being sought in the commercial agreement being negotiated at Washington.

## NATIONAL BOARD OF TRADE.

Claim Made that Farmers Do No Receive Fair Treatment.

Washington, Jan. 29.—The National Board of Trade held its second meeting Thursday. F. M. Thurber of New York made the report on transportation. Mr. Thurber presented a statement from a witness that in thirty-five years' experience with shipping in the east he had never known fair treatment for the farmers. They were always discriminated against in favor of the large shippers. The farmer, the witness said, is made to pay 13 cents a bushel to haul corn 200 miles, while the big shippers are given a rate of 6 cents a bushel to Chicago, from three to four times as far.

Mr. Thurber said railroad managers were in favor of correcting this abuse, but the only possible way was by pooling. This, however, was forbidden by the interstate commerce law.

After a long and spirited discussion the recommendation of the committee favoring an amendment to the interstate commerce act so as to authorize pooling of railroads under the supervision and direction of the interstate commerce commission was voted down under the two-thirds rule, the board being nearly equally divided on the subject.

## Plague Kills Thousands.

Bombay, Jan. 29.—According to the official report just issued there have been 4,396 cases of the plague in Bombay and 3,275 deaths from that disease. At Karachi 694 cases and 644 deaths from the plague have been recorded. At Poonah there have been sixty-five cases and sixty deaths, and a few cases have occurred at Surat, Baroda, Ahadabad, Kathinwar and Cutch.

## Four Children Fatally Burned.

Warrensburg, Mo., Jan. 29.—At Centerville, near here, Mrs. Lee Wade wrapped her four young children in blankets and placed them in a chair by the stove while she went to visit among the neighbors. The house caught fire, one child was burned to death and the others so badly burned they cannot live.

## Elevated Trains Collide.

New York, Jan. 29.—Two engines on the Union Elevated Railroad of Brooklyn came together Thursday night with a terrible crash, and one of the engines, its tender and a smoking car were hurled to the street, fifteen feet below. One man was killed and many injured.

## Bottled Breath.

Doctor Berson, of Stassfurt, who has lately made several exceedingly lofty balloon ascensions, carries along a cylinder of compressed oxygen, fitted with a tube for breathing. Whenever he experiences discomfort on account of rarity of the atmosphere, a few whiffs from the cylinder suffice to restore him. It is suggested that mountain-climbers would find a cylinder of oxygen a very useful addition to their outfit. On one occasion Doctor Berson reached in his balloon an altitude of 31,300 feet, more than 2,000 feet higher than the summit of Mount Everest.

## Or Used an Ax.

A Georgia man applied for a divorce on the ground that his wife "had whipped him in the presence of company." The jury granted him a divorce, returning the following verdict: "In the opinion of this jury the wife committed a grave offense in publicly whipping the plaintiff. She should have taken him to the barn, or to a room, when whipping was necessary."

## A Successful Club.

The "question box" of St. Bartholomew's Girls' club in New York is a plan employed by the club to gain general information. All sorts of questions are dropped into the box by such of the 600 members as feel the need of enlightenment on any topic, and once in every fortnight the president and vice president of the club meet with it, and the questions are read and discussed. This is one of the most successful working girls' clubs in New York city.

## MAYOR BAINES' PROCLAMATION.

He Appoints Committees to Solicit Aid For the Poor.

Owing to prevalent distress throughout the country and especially since the cold weather has come upon us, the poor of the cities are in a precarious condition. That Janesville may not be behind other cities in caring for the unfortunate ones within her borders, whatever may be the cause, it has been suggested that a committee be appointed to act in receiving clothing, bedding, food, money, wood, coal, etc., from our citizens that cases of distress be at once relieved. F. S. Winslow having secured a vacant store in the Norcross block on River street for the purpose will have it properly heated. I will appoint as such committee the following gentlemen:

F. S. Winslow, chairman.

First ward—J. P. Baker.

Second ward—S. C. Burnham.

Third ward—George M. McKey.

Fourth ward—W. S. Jeffris.

Fifth ward—P. J. Mouat.

Mr. Winslow will have a conveyance to call for supplies donated, if the name and number of the residence are left with any member of the committee. Donations of money may be paid to members of the committee or to either of the banks. I trust that our citizens will do their utmost to relieve such needy cases as may be found, and a liberal quantity of such goods supplied as the committee may find useful.

FRANK S. BAINES, Mayor.

## TO HIRE A PUBLIC DEFENDER.

Bill to Provide Free Counsel for Prisoners Who Are in Need of It.

A bill will shortly be introduced in the Wisconsin legislature to create the office of a public defender, the purpose being to give free defense to those who wish it, in the criminal courts, and to provide for counsel for those charged with being insane. The bill is prepared by Clara Polz, a well-known leader in the movement for woman suffrage, and an attorney of New York city, who urges in support the measure that about one-half of the persons charged with being insane or criminal are actually found to be sane and not guilty, and that it certainly seems hard to impose on the actually or presumptively innocent the burden of defense, and especially so to make the actually innocent pay for official blunders.

## ACTORS CARRIED GAS STOVES

Why The Hotel Myers Bill Waxed Exceedingly Large.

There are more ways than one to beat a hotel. At least so think Landlords Johnson & Donahue of the Hotel Myers. During the recent engagement of one of the repertoire companies in this city, the fact revealed itself that members of the company carried small gas stoves, which they could easily attach on any gas jet. These stoves they would light in their rooms at night in order to "warm up," while in the day time and after the theater they would serve tea. As a result of this came extra—but at the expense of the hotel keeper—the mystery of an enormous gas bill at the hotel has been solved. All members of the "profess" will be searched for stoves in the future.

## A Special Day.

We are going to make tomorrow especially attractive in Richardson demonstrations. Last Saturday Miss Gray required an assistant to help her take care of the people about the counter, and tomorrow will likely be the same. If you have already tested the different articles of the Sprague Warner production and desire to try them again don't feel at all backward about doing so, as our invitation is still extended to all. O. A. Sanborn & Co.

## What the Label Signifies.

ALL custom made garments made by first class union labor will have a label attached like this:



If the label is not to be found the garment has been finished by cheap sweat shop help and is therefore inferior in every way. See that the label is put on your clothing. Tailor's Union.

## The Greatest Monarch

Is a fit subject for pity if he is troubled with dyspepsia, while his poorest subject who digests properly may feel envied by a prince thus afflicted. The dyspeptic of every clime and nation owe a debt of gratitude to Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which rescues them from one of the most obstinate and troublesome complaints against which medical skill is directed. On this continent, in Europe and the tropics, this sterling remedy is preeminently and justly popular, not only as a stomachic, but also as a means of preventing and curing malarial, rheumatic, kidney, bilious and nervous disorders. It improves appetite and sleep, hastens convalescence and the acquisition of vigor after exhausting maladies, and counteracts the infirmities of age. A wineglass full taken before retiring has a tendency to promote tranquil, healthy sleep a boon much coveted by nervous invalids.

## Case of Misplaced Confidence.

"That man is a genius."  
"Indeed?"  
"Yes; no matter how late he stays out he has a story that his wife believes."—N. Y. World.

## More Truth Than Politeness.

Rich Wife—My dear, what would you do if I should suddenly lose all my money?

Hubby—As I pleased. I don't dare to now.—N. Y. Journal.

## The Ocean's Greed.

"Why do they speak of it as the hungry sea?"  
"It takes the dinner right out of a person's mouth."—Brooklyn Life.

## Michigan to Form a League.

Detroit, Jan. 29.—Now that the Interstate league has practically given Saginaw the go-by, interested parties are talking of forming a Michigan state league. It is proposed to form one comprising Saginaw, Bay City, Port Huron, Jackson, Lansing, Kalamazoo, Adrian and Battle Creek.

## Kansas Infant Commits Murder.

Abilene, Kan., Jan. 29.—Leopold Biehler, the 9-year-old son of a farmer living in the southern part of Dickinson County, was shot and killed by John Ohms, 12 years old. The boys were alone and had quarreled.

Paris, Jan. 29.—Count Muraviev, the new Russian minister for foreign affairs, until recently the Russian minister at Copenhagen, arrived here Thursday on a special mission to France.

## IS HE

## "A GOOD ONE?"

MRS. DIXON, 68 Chatham street, Janesville, suffered with rheumatism eight years. Had been treated by many physicians and taken "sure cures" but constantly grew worse until she was helpless. Her case became well known as a hopeless one. M. Alden Morehouse, the New York specialist, now permanently located at the Murdock Plaza, North Franklin street, was called to see her a month ago. His friends advised him to refuse the case as it was incurable and could only injure his business. He did not fear such a result and at once began a preparatory course in nerve, skin and muscle feeding to prepare her system for remedies which are to follow. People then said: "If he can do anything for Mrs. Dixon he is a good one." After one month of preparatory treatment he has her permission to ask all who are interested, for themselves or for others, to call and see what improvement has already taken place and hear answer for themselves the question, as above.

## IS HE "A GOOD ONE?"

## A CLEARING-UP SALE.



## HIGH PRICES KNOCKED LOW.

We have . . . Nine Flannel shirts, costing from \$13.50 to \$21.00 per dozen size 34 to 44. You can take your choice at . . . 75c

We have . . . Twenty-eight Jaxos Garments in Underwear costing \$18.00 and \$21.00 per dozen in New York. You can take your choice at . . . \$1.50

We have . . . Four dozen Winter Caps costing from \$6.00 to \$12.00 per dozen—consisting of plush, fur and wool. You can take your choice at . . . 50c

We do not care to carry any heavy goods over, hence this reduction at the

Kneff &amp; Allen Store.

F. L. CLEMONS, Assignee

## Your Steak

## At Stake:::

Did you ever deal with a market that always sent the same kind of good steak day after day—a nice piece of juicy porterhouse about seven-eighths of an inch thick—the kind that, when broiled, almost melts in your mouth?

That is what Wm. Kammer does. Meat always the same. It's good too.

Corner Western and Center Ave  
Telephone 219.

## 21 lbs. Granulated Sugar \$1.00.

(Every day).

Corned Beef, 4c lb.  
Salt Pork, 5c lb.  
Kettle rendered Lard, 4 lbs. for 25c.  
Bacon, 8c lb.  
Pickle Pigs' Feet, 5c lb.  
Small Salt White Fish, 2 1/2c lb.  
Large Family Lake Trout, 5c lb.  
Shredded Cod Fish, 10c package.  
2 lb. brick Boneless Cod, 15c.  
Whole Cod, 5c lb.  
Dr. Price's Baking Powder, 39c lb.  
Argo Gloss Starch, 3 lb. box 15c.  
Hominy, 1 1/2c per lb.  
Five gallon fancy honey drip syrup, in keg, \$1.00.

## The Boston Store

7 and 9 S. River street.

TELEPHONE 239.

## To be in style

Every lady should wear Puffs and Curls, and lots of them. Switches and Hair Goods of all kinds made to order.

MRS. SADLER.

W. Milwaukee St. Opposite post office.

## The Cloak Sensation!

Wonderful bargains for the grandest Cloak offering ever known in the Bowler City. The newest, nobbiest Coats at about the price of the linings, buttons and making. A cash offer secured 300 Garments and our friends get the benefit.

## Sale begins Monday, January 25th.

Don't miss the best thing that ever happened in Cloaks.

Nobby Beaver Jackets in navy blue and black, sizes 32, 34, 36 and 38, new flaring storm collar, strapped seams, wide cuffs; nine dollar value at . . . \$2.87

Fine Black Boucle and Novelty Rough Goods—most fetching styles of the season—with storm collars, inlaid velvet collars, self collars, fancy strapped seams, new fly fronts, also with four large pearl or fancy buttons; twelve and fifteen dollar values, sizes 32 to 40 . . . 4.87

One lot of dark tan and dark brown Kersey Beaver Jackets, new notched collar bound all around with black silk braid, tight sleeve, half lined, bound seams, large novelty buttons with small to match, sizes 32, 34 and 36 . . . 5.87

**NOTE**—With the above three lots we do not give muffs, but with a balance of the stock the muff offer still holds good.

## ARCHIE REID &amp; CO.

## Make Room Sale...

We must have room by next month for spring goods and consequently wish to close out and reduce many lines. It will pay you to investigate. The bargains are within easy grasp.

Here are a few of our many bargains:

\$3 50 Takes a \$5 00 Ladies' enamel pointed toe Shoe. Takes our famous Box Calf, in pointed and coin toes—nothing better.

3 Takes that pretty pointed toe, button and lace, welt sole. Takes that pretty French Kid, patent tip, pointed toe, button and lace. Takes the nice welt, plain tip shoe, in button and lace. And then we have 24 pair Foster & Co's flexible cork sole, button or lace Shoes; come early and get your size.

\$2 50 buys a fine pointed or coin toe Shoe, button or lace.

2 00 buys a pretty coin or pointed toe, lace or button dress Shoe. Takes that heavy calf Shoe, something for wet weather.

1 50 buys a good warranted Shoe—something that others will ask you \$2.00 for.

98c takes any Shoe on our bargain table, which are broken sizes, but if you can find your size you get three times your money's worth.

The above are all Ladies' Shoes, but do not forget that we have the same bargains in Gents', Boys', Misses' and Children's Shoes. And keep your eye on our window, which is full of SHOES AT FOUR DOLLARS. These goods are all new and up to date.

Yours to buy,

BENNETT &amp; CRAM,

exclusive dealers in Fine Fitting Footwear. ON THE BRIDGE

## PRODUCE SHIPPERS.

Do you want to make money? Do you want a square deal? Do you want top prices? Do you want prompt returns? We want your shipments. We are entitled to them. . . .

Give us a trial shipment and let us show you what we can do for you. Our facilities are unequalled. Every shipment, large or small, receives the personal attention of Mr. J. A. McCutcheon.

## OUR SPECIALTIES:

Poultry, Veal, Game, Butter, Eggs, Fur, Hides, Wool, Pelts Ginseng, Broom-Corn, Hay, Grain, Flour and Feed, Honey and Beeswax.

Write or wire us for prices and tags

222 S. Water St. J. A. McCUTCHEON & CO. Chicago.

Reference: First National Bank.

## ANTI-COMBINE COAL \$7.20.

Best grades Hard Coal, (Chestnut) . . . \$7.20  
Range or Stove Coal . . . 7.20  
Small Egg Coal . . . 7.20  
No. 2 Chestnut . . . 5.90  
Best Smokeless Coal in the city . . . 6.00  
Best Hocking Valley Lump . . . 4.75  
Birds Eye Cannel, for grates . . . 6.75  
Best Illinois Lump . . . 3.25  
Delivered to any part of the city, 2000 pounds for a ton, FOR CASH.

Crossett & Bonesteel,  
Office in rear of P. O. Janesville.

Our 1897 Bicycles are arriving. The first to come is the 'Rambler,' with several marked departures from last year's pattern, and with the price reduced to \$80.

A. H. Sheldon & Co., Hardware, Milwaukee and Main.



## THE WHOLE STORY WAS A BIG FAKE

NO C. & N. W. EMPLOYEES TO  
LEAVE TOWN.

No Order Changing the "Division End" Has Been Made and No Meeting of the Business Men's Association Will Be Held Tonight—Superintendent Moulton Talks.

No order has been issued changing the "division end" of the Chicago & North-western road from Janesville to Fond du Lac.

No Janesville employee of the said road will have to remove from Janesville in consequence of any such order.

No meeting of the Business Men's Association will be held at the Y. M. C. A. building tonight to protest against the order that was not issued. Aside from this, the story that has been bandied about for some days is substantially correct—the runs of some of the passenger train crews have been changed—as was stated in The Gazette of some days ago.

Superintendent F. R. Moulton was out of patience when a Gazette man talked with him today, and denied the truth of the published stories that many of the employees of the company would have to leave Janesville.

None Will Have To Go.

"Not one man will have to remove from Janesville," he said, "and no order has been issued changing the division end. I wish you would print that in the English, German, Irish, French, Scandinavian, Polish, and Esquimaux languages, so that everybody will understand it."

Business on the Chicago & North-western road has been very light of late. In economizing, the company has changed the run of some of the passenger crews. By these changes, some of the engineers are placed on the "chain gang," as the railroad men express it. The change will take them out of town four days one week, and leave them in Janesville every day of the next week. Substitutes are provided, however, so that when the engineer does not want to take his out-of-town run, the substitute can be put on. The changes are made for the purpose of economizing, and are temporary.

Depends Upon Business.

"Yes, the arrangement is a temporary one," said Superintendent Moulton in response to a Gazette man's question, after he had outlined the changes. "When the men will go back to the old order of things depends wholly on whether or not business picks up. That's all there is to it."

A meeting of the Business Men's association had been called for this evening to discuss the matter, and protest against the alleged order, President Vankirk having been requested to call one. When he learned of the true facts in the case this morning, he was much surprised to find that there was no necessity of a meeting.

Meeting Called Off.

"There seems to be a misunderstanding," he said when a Gazette reporter questioned him this morning. "I was asked to call a meeting, and did so, but you can now 'call it off.'"

No meeting will be held. The story, apparently, started in a rumor, and grew as it went from mouth to mouth. Alex. McNaughton, one of the engineers who was to be compelled to remove, according to the alleged order, was seen by a Gazette reporter yesterday noon.

He said he knew nothing of any official order, although he had heard some rumors. He was preparing to remove into one of the Kent flats while the reporter was talking to him, but had made no plans to leave the city.

Engineer John Tripp, another man who was interested in the change, said he had heard nothing official concerning the rumored order, and had not yet begun to pack his household goods.

## BIRMINGHAM PUT THE FIRE OUT

Extinguished a Blaze at the Home of Mrs. Schultz.

Captain Michael F. Birmingham, of hose company No. 1, was the whole fire department this morning, and handled a blaze without help. The fire was at the residence of Mrs. Schultz, 452 South High street. The family discovered the fire at 4:30 a. m. and hastened across the street to call Captain Birmingham, who lives opposite. Captain Birmingham responded to the alarm. He found the floor about the stove in flames and the house full of smoke. Several pails of water, judiciously used, quenched the flames; Captain Birmingham "rungs out," took up, and "returned to quarters."

## THE FERRIS COMPANY AT WORK

Their Field of Ice Is Scraped Clear of Snow.

The Ferris Ice company have finished scraping their field of ice and the work of marking has commenced. "If this weather continues," remarked the senior member of the firm, "we will commence cutting on next Monday morning. We will employ a force of from fifty to sixty hands."

## THEY ASK ACHESON TO JOIN

Sheriff Invited to Affiliate With the State Association.

Sheriff Acheson has been invited to join the Sheriff's Society of the state of Wisconsin. This society recently met in Madison there being members present from all parts of the state. The object of the society is to receive mutual benefit and co-operate in capturing criminals in the state.

## GOSSIP FOR JANESVILLE FOLK

MONEY to loan. S. D. Grubb.

STEP ladders 38 cents, at Lowell's. \$1.50 and \$2 shoes 98 cents, at Lowell's.

Nothing has been heard from James Whittaker.

CLOAKS—and such good bargains. Archie Reid & Co.

Flour at \$1.10 per sack at Sanborn's tomorrow.

SEE what F. A. Taylor can do for you on a fine cutter.

A good sized cargo of hides left the city today for Chicago.

TEN cars of live stock left the St. Paul yards last evening.

SOVERHILL & Porter were receiving tobacco at Milton today.

TEN pounds of oat meal for 25 cents at Sanborn's tomorrow.

THE Try society will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Merritt tonight.

OUR \$2, \$2.50 and \$3 shoes defy competition. Bennett & Cram.

TOMORROW is Mungler's monthly actual cost sale on groceries.

DR. H. A. PALMER will lead next Sundays Y. M. C. A. meeting.

ONE second hand sleigh, nearly new, \$12, worth \$20. F. A. Taylor.

COFFEE at way down prices in Sanborn's list for tomorrow page 8.

GEORGE L. TRAVERS' team and outfit is still in the hands of thieves.

COME in and get a cup of hot Ceylon tea and cocoa at Skelly & Wilbur's.

DON'T fail to attend the sale of all winter goods now going on at T. P. Burns.

WINTER tans heavy soles going at \$4 a pair reduced from \$5. Bennett & Cram.

THE Hall furniture company are buying lumber preparing to start their factory.

SENATOR WHITEHEAD yesterday introduced the "bicycle baggage bill" at Madison.

Dawson & Charlton shipped three cars of cattle and hogs to Chicago last evening.

MR. and Mrs. H. D. Murdock will entertain the club next Thursday evening.

WE still have that heavy sole calf lined patent leather shoe only \$4.00. Bennett & Cram.

LARGE quantities of tobacco were received today at the J. L. and M. F. Greene warehouse.

WE are the only grocers on the west side of the river, who carry the Lipton tea. Skelly & Wilbur.

PAPER hangers and painters are making improvements in the interior of A. L. Smith's restaurant.

LIPTON'S Ceylon tea, cocoa, jams and Scotch marmalade served free all this week at Skelly & Wilbur's.

OUR box calf and enamel shoes are selling like hot cakes at \$3.50. We have plenty of sizes left. Bennett & Cram.

Mrs. W. F. PALMER entertained the ladies Bon Ami club yesterday afternoon at her North Jackson street home.

WORD comes from Milwaukee that Miss Nellie Hickey, who underwent an operation yesterday, is improving rapidly.

WE have five heaters suitable for store or warehouse use, that are bargains for some one; they must be sold. Lowell.

\$2.87 for nobby Kersey jackets, navy blue or black, nine dollar value, today and while they last, take a look. Archie Reid & Co.

THE very fact of our reordering a complete line of sizes in those \$2.85 box calf shoes for ladies indicates their good quality. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

New goods coming every day. Ladies are invited to look through our stock at any time whether a purchase is intended or not. Bort, Bailey & Co.

PICK the \$2.85 shoe to pieces, do you know what you would find? Material and workmanship equal to any \$3.50 or \$4 shoe made. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

THE adjourned annual meeting of the Rock County Agricultural society will be held at the court house at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. D. W. Watt, Secretary.

THOSE beautiful new silk dress patterns we have just received are creating more interest among the ladies. They are pretty and very reasonable price. Bort, Bailey & Co.

NEVER such a grand opportunity to buy cloaks as now. Newest in jackets at prices which don't cover cost of making. Look up cloak ad on page four. Archie Reid & Co.

200 PIECES of dimities and organdies in the latest and prettiest patterns and colorings you most ever saw, just in at our store. If you can be interested in nice goods of this sort you certainly should not miss seeing these goods. Bort, Bailey & Co.

Mrs. FLORENCE DeLong Dearborn will open a dancing school class for children in Caledonia hall commencing next Saturday afternoon the hours being from 2 to 4. For ten lessons a fee of \$3 will be charged. Those desiring private lessons from 4 to 6 may apply.

THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the Loan Savings & Building Association of Janesville, will be held at the municipal court room, Monday evening, February 1, 1897, at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of electing officers and directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it. Members (except ladies) not present are liable to a fine of fifty cents unless excused as provided by the by-laws. A. P. BURNHAM, Secretary.

## DEATH ANGEL REAPS A GOODLY HARVEST

MRS. W. G. PALMER IS SUM-  
MONED HOME.

Her Death Occured at the Family Home After a Painful Illness and the Funeral Will Be Held on Sunday Afternoon—The Other Work Of the Grim Destroyer.

Mrs. S. Jane Palmer died in Janesville, Jan. 29, at 5:45 p. m. Her maiden name was Edwards. She was born in Bernardston, Mass., Dec. 19, 1831 and came to Wisconsin in 1858. On November 28, 1865, she was united in marriage to William G. Palmer. For a number of years the family home was in Hebron, Wis., but in 1880 the family removed to the city of Janesville.

Miss Edwards was converted in early youth and united with the Congregational church. After her marriage she united with the Methodist Episcopal church, remaining a faithful member until called to the church triumphant. A devoted husband mourns the loss of a faithful wife, and two children, Mrs. P. S. Bonesteel and Herbert L. Palmer, mourn the loss of a loving mother. Mrs. Palmer suffered for years, but endured her sufferings with christian patience and fortitude, supported by faith and divine grace. In her quiet, unassuming way, she lived an earnest, consistent, christian life, which gave power to her religious profession. She has entered the longed for rest that remaineth for the people of God. Of her it may be said: "Servant of God, well done! Thy glorious warfare's past; the battle's fought; the race is won, and thou art crowned at last." The funeral services will be held at 158 South Jackson street, Sunday at 2:30 p. m.

Henry H. Holt.

Henry H. Holt died at the home of his sister, Mrs. Eliza Coon, 56 Palm street, of cancer of the stomach, yesterday. He was a veteran of the Fifteenth Regiment Illinois volunteers, and had been an inmate of the Soldiers' Home in Milwaukee, and was here on a visit with his sister. The funeral will be held from the home of Mrs. Coon, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The members of the W. H. Sargent Post No. 20, Grand Army of the Republic, will be present.

Miss Mary Ellen Cullen.

Miss Mary Ellen Cullen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Cullen, of 263 Ringgold street, died at the home of her parents last night, of lung trouble, aged twenty-one years. She leaves four brothers and two sisters, John Cullen of this city; James H. Cullen of Dixon, Ill.; George and Joseph Cullen of Fort Dodge Iowa; Annie and Margaret Cullen, both of this city.

The funeral will be held from St. Mary's church at 10:30 tomorrow morning.

Funeral of Mrs. Dolan.

All that was mortal of Mrs. Anna Dolan was laid to rest this morning in Mount Olivet cemetery. The Rev. R. J. Roche conducted services at 9:30 o'clock from St. Mary's church, and the pall bearers were Steven Leary, William McBride, Patrick McGinley, James Monahan, Michael Murphy and Patrick Collins.

Timothy Taylor.

Timothy Taylor, brother of Mrs. A. D. Sanborn and L. F. Taylor of this city, died last night at New York City. A telegram announcing his demise was received by C. A. Sanborn this morning.

Patrick Lenahan.

Patrick Lenahan died at the county house yesterday. He leaves one son, Peter Lenahan.

Saturday's Cash Prices.

Best patent flour per sack	\$1 10
Second grade "	1 05
Third "	80
Buckwheat "	18
Graham "	20
Corn meal per sack	12
22 lbs granulated sugar	1 00
Starch, corn or laundry, per lb.	05
Price's baking powder	38
Daisy "	15
Bulk "	10
Pepper, cinnamon, ginger, allspice, cloves, mustard, per lb.	15
Salt fish per lb.	03
Salt pork "	04
Lard "	06
Butterine "	12
12 bars soap	25
8 bars soap	25
1 gallon can pure maple syrup	75
1 gallon honey drips syrup	20
1 gallon kerosene	10
25c package washing powder	17
50c "	05
10c "	03
Blacking, shoe or stove, 10c box	05
8 qts white beans	25
20c box matches	12

W. F. CARLE, Grocer,

62 West Milwaukee St.

Groceries Are Cheap.

21 pounds granulated sugar, \$1. Extra roasted Rio coffee, 20 cents per pound. Best new teas, 40 cents per pound. Best kerosene oil 10 cents per gallon. Best patent flour \$1.15 per sack. Best eating potatoes 25 cents per bushel. 7 bars Old Country soap, 25 cents. 8 bars Santa Claus soap, 25 cents. Gold Dust Washing powder, 18 cents. Best No. 1 salt pork barrels, 90 cents. VANKIRK GROCERY CO., 12 South River St.

## THE PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO

DR. J. B. WHITING spent the day in Madison.

EDWARD MURPHY spent yesterday in Chicago.

H. J. CUNNINGHAM spent the day in Chicago.

S. S. WALLIHAN drove in from Footville today.

BURR SPRAGUE of Brodhead, was in town today.

A. L. MCCULLOCH left this morning for Madison.

E. H. HEATH of Madison, spent the day in town.

A. GILBERTSON left this morning for a visit in Milwaukee.

DR. and Mrs. George Post will return to Madison to live.

WALTER HELMS spent the day attending the Chicago cycle show.

E. H. GILKEY, of Oconto, is the guest of his brother, H. S. Gilkey.

S. W. ROGERS and H. Blanchard drove up from Beloit yesterday.

CHARLES F. YATES returned last evening from a trip to Marinette.

Miss Jennie Hinckley left yesterday for Denver, for the benefit of her health.

Miss Genevieve Rich is home, after an extended visit with friends in Battle Creek, Mich.

Miss Mary Tuttle left this afternoon for an over Sunday visit at her home in Milwaukee.

ADAM HOLT arrived in the city this morning, after a visit with his daughter in Milwaukee.

GEORGE KASTNER returned home last evening from a business trip into Northern Michigan.

WILLIAM HIGGINS spent the day in Monroe in the interest of the Hall Furniture company.

Mrs. O. J. BLAKELY has been spending the past few days in Madison, the guest of Mrs. Charles Askew.

Miss MARTHA CALDWELL of Arlington, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Caldwell of 266 South Main street, returned home this morning.

G. S. WALWORTH has been appointed superintendent in the factory of the Art Iron Range Co., St. Louis, and left for that city last night. His family will move later.

SOME NEWS FROM ROUND ABOUT

NECESSITIES of life are cheap at Sanborn's tomorrow.

ONE large size Peninsular heater with oven, for \$30 at Lowell's.

FIVE Quick Meal gasoline stoves to go at actual cost. Lowell Hardware Co.

SYRUPS and molasses at prices worth looking up in Sanborn's list on page 8 tonight.

WATHERN Crosby Co.'s Gold Medal flour \$1.10 per sack Saturday at Sanborn's.

YOUR choice of six of the standard soaps of the country seven bars for 25 cents at Sanborn's tomorrow.

WHY pay \$1.25 or \$1.30 or even \$1.15 for flour when you can get the best in the city at W. F. Carle's.

WE have one Peninsular high shelf steel range with reservoir, to be sold at a bargain. Lowell Hardware Co.

WHILE the coffee war is on coffee drinkers profit by it. See Sanborn's list of groceries, page eight tonight.

ALL attend the Merchants' Carnival at the Armory Monday evening, Feb. 1. Admission 25 cents; dancing 25 cents.

300 pair of the choicest children's and misses' shoes, all sizes, to be sold at closing out prices. Lowell Hardware Co.

A VERY complete line of new dress goods have just been received at our store. Popular prices on them all; 25, 39 and 47 cents a yard; as nice an assortment as you could wish for. Bort, Bailey & Co.

THE "Merchant's Carnival" at the Armory Monday evening, Feb. 8, promises to be a grand success. The grand march takes place at 8 o'clock. Many of the merchants are to make exhibits and about seventy five young ladies will represent the different trades. Admission 25 cents, dancing 25 cents.

THE grand march will take place at 8 o'clock at the Merchants' Carnival, but will be repeated at 9:15 for the benefit of those attending the lecture. The presentation of the silk flag to the Christ Church Cadets will also be one number on the program. Admission 25 cents; dancing 25 cents. Monday evening, Feb. 1.

CUPID'S WORK WELL DONE

Palmer-Gardner.

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## A TRI-COUNTY SUIT HEARD AT MADISON

NOTE CASE IS NOW BEFORE  
THE COURT.

Green County Furnishes the Parties to the Action, Rock County the Attorneys and Dane County the Tribunal to Hear the Story of the Trouble.







# Cut This Out.

Bring your baskets and wheelbarrows and \$1.00 and carry away a great big load for your money. No doubt about our going out of business. Do you think so? If you do just step in and see.

## IS THERE ANYTHING HERE THAT YOU CAN USE?

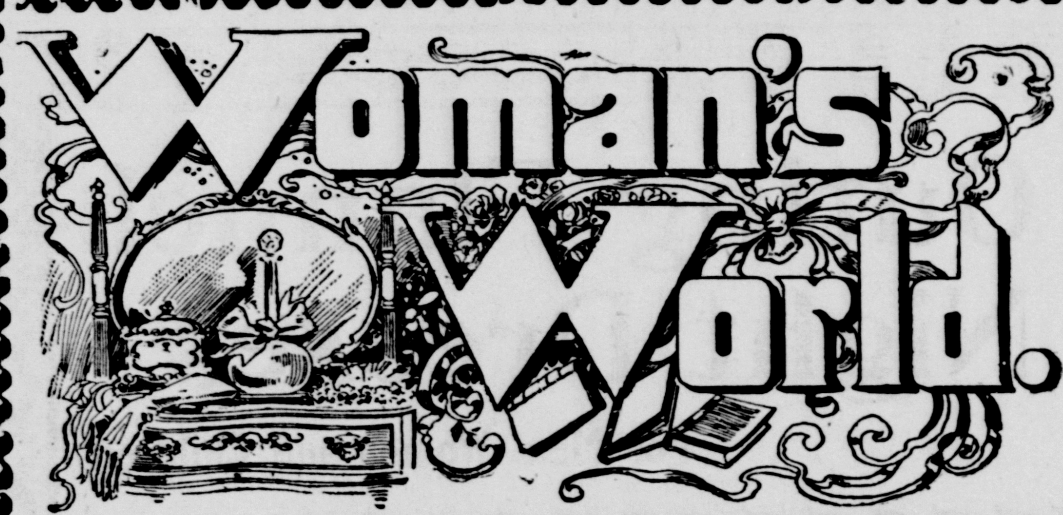
6 Fur Thibets worth \$1 for	25c
Boys' Suspenders	9c
Men's Suspenders	18c
Children's Stockings, worth 18c,	10c
Child's and Misses' Comb'n Suits	25c
One \$2 Doll for	\$1
3 Dolls worth \$1.50 each, for	75c
6 Dolls worth 50c each, for	25c
12 all wool Gents' Shirts	50c
Child's Underwear worth 15c,	7c
Painters' Overalls,	35c
Painters' Blouse	35c
All colors Tissue Paper, per doz.	7c
Child's Story Books, 3c to	20c
Re olving Cake Stands worth 25c,	18c
Belding's Emb'y Silk, per skein	3c
Vegetable Dishes	35c
Cream Pitchers	10c
Ice Pitchers worth 65c, at	40c
Side Dishes	5c
Linen Fringe, per yard,	5c
Fancy Belt Buckles.	10c
Horse Blankets	90c
Extra fine Horse Blankets	\$1 25
Boys' Shoes	\$1.00
Western Washers	\$2.45
Double Wash Boards	19c
6 pairs Rockford Socks	25c

7x9 Shelf Bracket.....	9c
Tri-Squares.....	15c
Brass Oil Cloth Binding.....	14c
Button on Plate.....	1c
Draw Pulls.....	1c
Lock and Knob complete.....	18c
Round Nose Pliers.....	10c
Tin Horns.....	3c
Ice Picks.....	10c
Cast Wrenches.....	5c
Brass Trays.....	5c
Cherry Pitters.....	29c
Clothes Reel Heads.....	45c
Nail Set.....	5c
Pie Rack.....	5c
Door Keys.....	2c
Hitching Rings.....	3c
Drill.....	5c
Lamps.....	82c
Banquet Lamps.....	\$2.95
One Hanging Lamp.....	1.95
One Hanging Lamp.....	2.95
Dover Egg Beaters.....	8c
Common 5 in Elbows.....	5c

Steel Drag Teeth.....	1c
Barn Door Track.....	3c
1000 Iron Swivels.....	1c
Molasses Gates.....	14c
Liquid Stove Polish.....	6c
Pearline.....	5c
Nickel House Numbers.....	7c
6 Hooks and Staples.....	10c
Screen and Awning Pulleys.....	5c
Butts, all sizes, per pair.....	5c
Chandelier Hooks.....	5c
Steel Divider.....	14c
Thermometers.....	8c
Moulding Picture Hooks, per doz.	5c
Tape Measure.....	16c
Glass Cutter.....	8c
Tracing Wheels.....	7c
Pinking Irons.....	5c
Coal Chisel.....	12c
Hooks and Eyes, 3 for.....	5c
Curry Combs.....	10c
Horse Brushes.....	17c
Double Chop Knives.....	14c
Fibre Water Pail.....	22c
Shot, per pound.....	5c
Three papers Tacks.....	5c

Lawn Mowers	\$2 35
Steel Traps	12 1/2c
Mrs. Potts' Sads	59c
Awls	8c
Stone Hammer	50c
Key Tag	1c
Key Ring	3c
Draw Shave	17c
Auger Bit	10c
Braces	22c
Ax Handles	8c
Chisel Handies	3c
Screw Drivers	10c
Cor Bits, all sizes	50c
Steel Traps, per doz	1.50c
Fish Reels	15c
Fish Line	2c
Spoon Hook	8c
Iron Threshold	25c
Porcelain Draw Knobs, per doz.	3c
Flannel Skirts, only	49c
Children's Tam O'Shanter	40c
Baby Bonnets worth 50c, only	25c
Baby Bonnets worth \$1, only	49c
Derby Hats worth \$2,	49c
Gents' Tan Shocs, latest style	\$1.25
50 pair Shocs and Slippers	25c
100 pair Shoes and Slippers	69c
\$1.50 and \$2 Shoes	98c

## LOWELL HARDWARE CO.



French papers which deal with fashion and society are constantly besieged by inquirers anxious to know what is the proper thing to do in this, that or the other social contingency. Many of the questions are indeed foolish, and one society writer very sensibly remarks that there is a deplorable tendency to think that good manners may be formed according to certain inflexible rules which are the continual guide of the well bred. This theory is really productive of evil consequences, for those who hold to it fear to do or say anything by their own initiative and are left at a loss at every critical moment. There is no such thing as forming a rule of behavior for each contingency of life. The foundation of good manners is consideration for other persons, and this, guided by good taste and adaptability, is enough to establish any one on a perfectly comfortable footing with the social world. It is the persons who worry about their manners most who have the worst ones, as a rule. They are self conscious, critical and always anticipating criticism from others, and

in other circumstances and where somebody else is concerned. When in doubt as to what to do, the difficulty may usually be solved by thinking what would be practical, reasonable, convenient and considerate. Any course that answers all these requirements will be likely to be the right one.

The sketch shows an evening gown of glace taffeta. The plain skirt drags slightly at the back and is decorated with a graceful arrangement of lace on each side of the bodice. The lace, which is rather wide, is fastened at the waist and falls in coquilles to the foot of the skirt, where it is fastened with clusters of roses. The bodice of white mousseline de sole is draped horizontally, with a graduated band of velvet roses on the left side. The armhole is draped with lace, which is held in place by a jeweled ornament.

JUDIC CHOLLET.

### SUPPER PARTIES.

Their Revival a Parisian Fad—A White Satin Gown.

This is an age of revivals in other than a religious sense, and one of the latest is the revival of the supper party. This is the newest thing in Paris, friends being invited to supper after the theater or opera. This implies an earlier and lighter dinner, of course, and was a regular custom in the last century. Of course it has always been in active operation among the stage fraternity, their profession of speaking or singing demanding that they do not eat heartily before their work. After the performance is over supper is a necessity for them and not a mere excuse for social meeting and conversation, as is the case with the society imitations. These latter are so far of a somewhat informal nature—that is, the supper is attended by only one's intimate circle of acquaintance, and if the charm is to be retained the company must be kept limited to that circle. There is certainly something very delightful about

a reunion of this sort after a ball or theater, when one rarely feels like at once retiring, and no doubt the fashion will take a foothold in the affections of society. There are opportunities for talk and companionship such as can never be found at receptions, dinners and other large and formal functions. Indeed persons whose time is entirely spent in attending the latter are almost completely cut off from any chance of making real acquaintance with any one. It is all touch and go, a word here, a bow there, a smile yonder, but the recipients of these attentions are virtually strangers. Although one may know by hearsay their pedigree and career, one does not know them. They are simply the units



EVENING DRESS.

that make up the great world, which is taken as a whole.

An illustration is given of an evening gown the skirt of which is composed of white satin. Around the foot is a narrow ruffle of blue velvet with a lace heading. The stretched bodice of blue velvet closes under the left arm. The back is bias in one piece and the front slightly draped. The short sleeve of puffed velvet is scarcely more than an epaulet. A bolero of lace in one piece crosses in front and fastens with a jewel. JUDIC CHOLLET.

### Truly Wonderful.

"What do you think of my French, Jules?" I asked of my Paris guide. "It is wonderful, madame," he replied, courteously. "In all my life before I never have heard anything like it." —Tit-Bits.

### Women's Ways.

"When Mrs. Rawton lived in Pawpaw she wouldn't wear a gown unless it was made in Chicago."

"Yes, and now that she lives in Chicago, she won't wear any gown made outside of Paris."—Chicago Record.

### Case of Heredity.

Kohlspring—Do you believe in heredity, Mrs. Westside? Mrs. Westside—Most assuredly I do. There is Pearl Place; her father was a boilermaker, and she fairly dotes on Wagner.—Buffalo Evening Times.

### A Life Saver.

Puffy—Just saved a man's life. Guffy—How was that? Puffy—Met a fellow on the street. Said he'd blow my brains out if I didn't give him my watch. Gave him the watch.—Tit-Bits.

### An Inference.

Jones—The play is said to be an artistic success.

Smith—Are they losing much money on it?—N. Y. Truth.

### Nothing Serious.

Limply—What is the matter with Miss Placid's eyes?

Gimply—Oh, they're in a little, that's all.—N. Y. World.

Men's \$1 knit jackets 69 cents at Lowell's.

MINUTES seem like hours when life is at stake. Croup gives no time to send for a doctor, delay may mean death. One Minute Cough Cure gives instant relief and insures recovery. The only harmless remedy that produces immediate results. C. D. Stevens.

### Bradbury Piano Reduction Sale Continued

The success of our before Christmas Reduction Sale direct from manufacturer to private customer, all over Wisconsin, encourages us to continue the sale longer. Every family wanting to buy the sweetest and best toned piano made, with a reputation of the highest rank, over fifty years established, should write us quickly.

A beautiful catalogue showing the celebrated Bradbury piano in all styles will be mailed you on request, with a wholesale reduction price that will agreeably surprise you. The day has gone by for purchasing a piano of unknown merit when the standard Bradbury can be had so cheaply. Parties not wishing to pay all cash will be accommodated.

Every instrument guaranteed for a term of years. Ask your local banker or consult Dunn or Bradstreet for our financial standing in Brooklyn, New York, Chicago, and wherever we have branch houses. Let us hear from you now if you intend to buy in the next three years. P. G. SMITH, Sole Manufacturer, 255-257 Wabash Ave., Chicago. Factories, Brooklyn.

WHAT better bargain could we offer the ladies than a \$3.50 or \$4 shoe for \$2.85. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

### FREE TO EVERY MAN

WHICH CURED HIM AFTER EVERYTHING ELSE FAILED.

### THE METHOD OF A GREAT TREATMENT FOR WEAKNESS OF MEN.

Painful diseases are bad enough, but when a man is slowly wasting away with nervous weakness, the mental forebodings are ten times worse than the most severe pain. There is no let up to the mental suffering day or night. Sleep is almost impossible under such a strain men are scarcely responsible for what they do. For years the writer rolled and tossed on the troubled sea of sexual weakness until it was a question whether he had not better take a dose of poison and thus end all his troubles. But providential relief came to his aid in the shape of a combination of medicines that not only completely restored the general health, but enlarged his weak, emaciated parts to natural size and vigor, and he now declares that any man who will take the trouble to send his name and address may have the method of this wonderful treatment free. Now when I say free I mean absolutely without cost, because I want every weakened man to get the benefit of my experience.

I am not a philanthropist, nor do I pose as an altruist, but there are thousands of men suffering the mental tortures of weakened manhood who would be cured at once could they but get such a remedy as the one that cured me. Do not try to study out how I can afford to pay the few postage stamps necessary to mail the information, but send for it, and learn that there are a few things on earth that although they cost nothing to get they are worth a fortune to some men and mean a lifetime of happiness to most of us. Write to Thomas Slater, Box 484, Kalamazoo, Mich., and the information will be mailed in a plain sealed envelope.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS, STATE OF WISCONSIN, County Court for Rock County, In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at the September term of the County Court, to be held in and for said county, at the court house in the city of Janesville, in said county, on the first Tuesday of Sept., A. D. 1897, being Sept. 22, 1897, at nine o'clock A. M. following matters will be heard, considered and adjusted: All claims against Maria Otto, late of the city of Janesville, in said county, deceased, and each of them.

All such claims must be presented for allowance to said court, at the court house, in the city of Janesville, in said county, on or before the 2d day of Oct., A. D. 1897, or be barred.—Dated Jan. 5, 1897.

By the court, J. W. SALE County Judge.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN—CIRCUIT COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY—Patrick McGloidy, plaintiff, vs. Margaret Kelly, Timothy Kelly, Maria Kelly his wife, Morris Kelly, Mary E. Kelly, Edna Ward, Emma Kelly, John Kelly, Kate Kelly, Grace Kelly, James Kelly, Mary Kelly, Jessie Kelly, Annie Kelly, John Joseph Kelly, Joseph Dalton, James Dalton, W. H. Caradine administrators, with the will annexed of the estate of John Kelly, deceased, and John Dalton, defendants.

The State of Wisconsin, to the said defendants: You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid, and in case of your failure to do so, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint; of which a copy is herewith served upon you.

DUNNIDIFF & WHEELER, Plaintiff's attorneys. P. O. Address: Janesville, Rock County, Wisconsin.

STATE OF WISCONSIN—CIRCUIT COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY—Rebecca A. DeBaum, plaintiff, vs. Charles H. Campbell, Hattie E. Campbell his wife, The Bank of Broadhead, and C. N. Carpenter president of The Bank of Broadhead, defendants.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue and in pursuance of a judgment of foreclosure and sale rendered in the above entitled action by the Circuit Court for Rock County on the 14th day of January, A. D. 1896, in favor of the above named plaintiff, and against the above named defendants, I will, on Monday, the 15th day of March, A. D. 1897, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the front door of the court house, in the city of Janesville, Rock County, Wisconsin, offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder therefor the real estate and mortgaged premises described in said judgment as follows, to-wit:

All that certain lot or tract of land situated, lying and being in the town of Plymouth in the County of Rock, State of Wisconsin, known and described as follows, to-wit:

The west half of the east half of section number four (4) in township number two (2) north of range number eleven (11) east, excepting one acre of land in the south east corner thereof owned by Daniel Silverthorn, or so much thereof as may be sufficient to pay such judgment with interest thereon, and the costs of sale.—Dated January 21st, 1897.

THEO. L. ACHESON, Sheriff of Rock Co., Wis.

J. W. Sale, plaintiff's att'y, Janesville, Wis. frijan5dw

CIRCUIT COURT—ROCK COUNTY—J. B. Scaries, plaintiff, vs. E. Gahagan, defendant.

The State of Wisconsin to the said defendant: You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid, and in case of your failure to do so judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint.

A. N. RANDALL, Plaintiff's attorney. P. O. address: Broadhead, Green Co., Wis. frijan5dw

In order for an ad. to make a "home run" it must touch four bases—the eye, the interest, the heart and the pocket book.

Every owner of an 1897 Rambler bicycle has a wide range of choice in gears after purchase. This is made possible by the new model of rear sprocket.

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POSITIVELY CURE ALL Nervous Diseases—Failing Memory, Impotency, Sterility, etc., caused by Abuse and other Excesses and a Nervous System. They quickly and surely restore lost vitality in old or young, and it is a man for study, business or marriage. Prevent insanity and consumption if taken in time. Their use shows immediate improvement and effects a CURE where all others fail. Insist upon having the genuine AJAX Tablets. We give positive written guarantee to effect a cure in each case or refund the money. Price 50 cents per package, or six packages (full treatment) for \$2.50. By mail, in plain wrapper upon receipt of price. Circular free. Address:

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cures quickly. That is what it was made for. Prompt, safe, sure, quick relief, quick cure. Pleasant to take. Children like it and adults like it. Mothers buy it for their children.

Prepared by E. C. DeWitt & Co., makers of De Witt's Little Girl's Cough Syrup, the famous Little Pills.

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### Your Stomach Distresses You

after a hearty meal, and the result is a chronic case of Indigestion, Sour Stomach, Heartburn, Dyspepsia, or a bilious attack.

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Promote Digestion, Regulate the Stomach, Liver and Bowels, Purify the Blood, and are a Positive Cure for Constipation, Sick Headache, Biliousness, and all other Disorders arising from a disordered condition of the Liver and Stomach. They act gently yet promptly, and perfect digestion follows their use. Ripans Tablets take the place of an Entire Medicine Chest, and should be kept for use in every family.

Price, 50 Cents a box. At Druggists, or by mail, RIPANS CHEMICAL CO., 10 SPRUCE ST., NEW YORK.

### The Delicious Fragrance

Refreshing coolness and soft beauty imparted to the skin by Pozzoni's Powder, commands it to all ladies.





Saturday, January 30th, 1897,

ONE DAY ONLY SPECIAL SALE.

Articles which you must have, and the prices we name mean a great saving for you. Come early and avoid the rush.

BEHOLD OUR LIST OF PRICES FOR THIS SPECIAL SALE:

FLOUR

Washburn, Crosby Co.'s (Minneapolis) Gold Medal, per sack \$1.10  
Hard To Beat (Janesville, Minnesota) Flour 1.05

SOAP

7 bars Santa Claus 25c  
7 bars Lenox 25c  
7 bars Old Country 25c  
7 bars Fairbank's Brown 25c  
7 bars Bluff City 25c  
7 bars Cyclone 25c  
7 packages all kinds Washing Powder 25c

SYRUPS, COOK'G MOLASSES

1 gallon Honey Drips 20c  
1 gallon Nectar Drips 30c  
1 gallon Sugar Drips 35c  
1 gallon Malted Sugar 50c  
1 gallon New Orleans Molasses 25c  
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1 gallon New Orleans Molasses 50c  
1 gallon New Orleans Molasses 60c  
1 gallon New Orleans Syrup 75c

COFFEES

1 lb. Crushed Java 18c, 6 lbs. \$1 00  
XXXXX Coffee, 18c lb.: 6 lbs. for \$1 00  
1 lb. Java Sitings 22c, 5 lbs. for 1 00  
1 lb good Rio 18c, 6 lbs. for 1 00  
1 lb. fancy Rio 22c, 5 lbs. for 1 00  
1 lb. Golden Rio 28c, 4 lbs. for 1 00  
1 lb. Santos and Maracaibo 30c, 3 1/2 lbs. for 1 00  
1 lb Mexican Java 30c, 3 1/2 lbs. for 1 00  
(This is the finest Mexican Java that money can buy.)  
1 lb. Java and Mocha 35c, 3 lbs. for 1 00  
1 lb. Diamond Java and Mocha 38c, 3 lbs. for 1 05  
(This is perfection in coffee.)  
5 gallons best Oil 45c  
21 lbs. Granulated Sugar \$1 00  
22 lbs. C Sugar 1 00  
10 lbs. Oat Meal 25c  
Salt Pork. per lb., 5c

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enjoy the full, rich flavor of the best Ceylon Teas. It makes a place for itself in every home where it is used. In brief—Monsoon Tea sells itself, while the general run of Ceylon Teas need considerable salesmanship. If nobody had tasted Monsoon Tea we could sell Lipton's at regular prices, but that is neither here nor there. Our policy is to let no goods grow old on our hands—freshness must be the attribute of everything sent from the Sanborn store. Hence we spur up slow-moving lines by dropping prices. Lipton's Teas for the next ten days 38 cents a pound; two pounds for 70 cents.

This and not our own inclination has compelled us to sacrifice the profit on Lipton Teas. Popular demand has turned strongly in Janesville during the last year to the Monsoon brand, The Monsoon is a revelation to those who

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We have just placed on sale another lot of those warm, fluffy, Teasel Down Night dresses---just the thing for these cold winter nights. These Night Dresses are made of the best quality of Outing Flannel. They are full sizes; they are full length; they are made up in a first-class manner, and, at the prices we offer them they are cheap. If you think you will need one or two more before the winter is over you had better secure what you may want out of this lot.

Men's Night Dresses go at 94c. Ladies' Night Dresses go at 94c. Children's Night Dresses go at 71c.

We also offer

20 pieces new Outing Flannel at 5c. 30 pieces new Outing Flannel at 8c. 20 pieces new Outing Flannel at 9c.

This is a very complete line, comprising the best known makes and the very handsomest styles and colorings.

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